WEATHER FORECAST

Victoria and Vic. ity—Light winds, partly cloudy; not much change in temperature
Vancouver and V cinity—Light winds, partly cloudy; not much change in temperature.
Juan de Fuca to Estevan—Light variable winds; generally fair; not much change.

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Latest Zeppelin Is Safely Berthed at Air Station In New Jersey

RETURN FLIGHT TO START ON MONDAY

LAKEHURST, N.J., May 9 (AP).—Safely berthed after a few exciting moments at the end of her record-breaking flight from Germany, the mighty Zeppelin Hindenburg tonight was refueled for the homeward journey.

A half a hundred civilians sprang to the ropes when a shift in the wind threatened to tear the great airliner from the hands of a small landing crew of sailors.

MAJESTIC ARRIVAL

Her powerful motors purring with smooth rhythm, the newest and greatest of Germany's sky cruiser settled majestically down at the Naval Air Station as the morning sun rose over the horizon.

Bearing fifty-one passengers, a crew of fifty-six and a cargo of mail and freight, the Zeppelin had spanned the 4,381 land miles between Friedrichshafen and Lakehurst in 61 hours and 57 minutes. It left the German base at 3:30 a.m. (E.S.T.) Wednesday and reached the air station, its United States port, at 5:23 a.m. today.

WATCHED BY THOUSANDS

Shortly after it was berthed in the hangar, the crowds of curious gathered. The group of approximately 4,000 that witnessed the early arrival was expected to be dwarfed tomorrow during the eight hours the station will hold open house.

Preparations for the return flight, scheduled to start on Monday night, were begun late today. The re-servicing crew, commanded by Lieutenant-Commander C. V. S. Knox, loaded the ship with 7,700 gallons of fuel oil for its four Diesel motors and will add 7,000 more gallons before the take-off.

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MAHAN GETS SIXTY YEARS

Pleads Guilty to Kidnapping Of Weyerhaueser Boy At Tacoma

TACOMA, May 9 (AP).—William Mahan, man of fifteen aliases and one-time public enemy number one, looked at the world from the walls of McNeil Island Federal Penitentiary tonight, under sentence of sixty years imprisonment for the kidnapping of George Weyerhaeuser.

Mahan, who boasted to the Weyerhaeuser family in a ransom note, "we won't be sitting behind any mail boxes," went behind the prison's bars two hours after he had pleaded guilty to charges of kidnapping and conspiring to kidnap. Federal District Judge Edward E. Cushman sentenced him to sixty years' imprisonment on each count, but directed the sentences be served concurrently.

Mahan's account of the Weyerhaeuser kidnapping as told Federal authorities en route to prison today, tallied exactly with his codefendants' recitals, Chief Assistant Attorney Owen P. Hughes said.

CONSTANTLY IN HIDING

Hughes said Mahan told of the kidnapping, and of his wanderings since, as Marshal A. J. Chitty took him to prison to start a sixty-year sentence imposed on his guilty pleas.

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Pigeon Has Habit Of Racing Train

SANTA ROSA, Calif., May 9 (AP).—Residents hereabouts say they have noticed a white pigeon racing a fast freight train into town every afternoon for two weeks, flying beside the engine's cab.

Early risers said the bird escorted a passenger express in at 6.45 a.m., rested a while on the station and then fluttered north again to return on schedule with the speedy freight.

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Striking Display of Beauty by the Roadside

—Photograph by Pocock

The dogwoods are in bloom! As the earlier fruit tree blossom disappears, their beauty bursts forth throughout the countryside around Victoria. That beauty is varied by different settings, from the open light of cultivated land to the dark background of virgin forest. Standing on the crest of the long hill at Heal's, the large dogwood pictured above presents an arresting sight with its mass of gleaming white, an apple tree in full bloom nestling below and majestic Douglas firs towering behind.

EUROPE FEARS WAR CERTAIN IF PEACE NEGOTIATIONS FAIL

Quadruplets Born in New Jersey; Father Comments "Oh, Yeah!"

PASSAIC, N.J., May 9 (AP).—Quadruplets, three boys and a girl, were born at St. Mary's Hospital today, and the father, Emil Kasper, of Little Ferry, never batting an eyelash, commented, "Oh, yeah!" While a hospital staff, wild with excitement, rushed out to borrow extra incubators, the babies started a wailing quartette which doctors said augured well for their chances of life.

The largest, however, weighs only a fraction of an ounce more than three pounds, and two of them only two pounds and fourteen ounces each. Dr. Fran F. Jani, who delivered them, said it would be three days before he could predict their chances of life. Mrs. Kasper is now the mother of six children, with the oldest one only three.

Preparations for Conflict Continue With Thirteen Nations in Anxiety

DIPLOMATS CONSIDER MANY DANGER SPOTS

(John Evans, chief of the foreign service of The Associated Press, who has just returned to New York after years of reporting the foreign scene for readers in Canada and the United States, tells in the following article of conditions that are causing anxiety to leaders of thirteen nations.)

By JOHN EVANS

NEW YORK, May 9 (AP).—Europe is preparing for war today while her diplomats talk peace.

Statesmen propose one plan after another to avoid a "conflagration," but defence ministers spend more money than ever for large land, air and sea forces.

Little Austria once was called the danger spot of Europe, now there are so many clashes of interest that leaders in thirteen countries, with 5,000,000 soldiers, openly profess anxiety.

Officials everywhere consider the complicated peace scheme based on

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Mountaineers Make Ready for Assaults On the Unconquered

Expedition of Great Britain Preparing for Attack On Mount Everest—Unscalable Mount Waddington's Challenge Tempts Coast Climbers

VANCOUVER, May 9 (AP).—While a British expedition prepared another assault upon Mount Everest, Pacific Coast mountaineers today turned their eyes to "unscalable" Mount Waddington. Once known as "Mystery Mountain," Waddington towers highest in the Coast Range, 13,260 feet, with a sheer peak which has turned back thirteen attempts to climb it, and has taken one life.

MAKING UP PARTY

William F. Dobson, president of the British Columbia Mountaineering Club, will head a twelve-man party in early July. The personnel, not yet fixed, will be chosen from the finest mountaineers in Vancouver, and will probably include two Sierra Club climbers from San Francisco, who will supplement the ice and snow technique of the Vancouver men with a highly-developed knowledge of rockwork and use of pitons.

A Sierra Club party, which tackled the mountain in 1935, declared the region the most heavily glaciated in the world. The pitons they use are

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STOPPING RACKET LEADS TO STRIKE

Chinese Cooks on British Steamer Object to Loss of Traditional Privileges

CHUNGKING, China, May 9 (AP).—A British steamship company operating on the Yangtze River has discovered why its profits have been falling off. It is a case of too many cooks.

When officials of the company learned that cooks on their vessels were engaging in petty racketeering, the cooks were told to stick to their pots and pans.

Immediately the Cooks' Guild ordered a walkout. The strikers said it was their traditional right to smuggle passengers and "pidgin" cargo for a commission.

On one ship, with a crew of fifty-one, the kitchen force of thirty walked out, but a few sailors produced the ship's three squares daily with less fuss than their thirty predecessors.

Japanese Officer Condemned to Die

TOKIO, May 9 (CP-Havas).—Lieut.-Col. Saburo Aizawa was condemned to death by a court martial here today for the murder of Major-General Tasuzan Naagata, director-general of Japanese military affairs.

Lieut.-Col. Aizawa walked into the office of Major-General Nagata last August and slashed him to death with a sword.

PRICE MAY BE PUT ON STARLINGS' LEGS

LONDON, Ont., May 9 (AP).—When the city voted $100 to aid in the elimination of starlings it didn't say how the money was to be spent. A "starling sweepstakes" has been suggested, in which half a dozen starlings would be captured and prizes from $50 down attached to their legs, similar to a crow-bounty in Saskatchewan. Hunters after prize money would probably kill thousands of the pests.

THREE MILLION IS GOLD VALUE

British Columbia Output in First Quarter Estimated at 91,200 Ounces

While final figures are still awaited for March, British Columbia gold production in the first quarter of this year is known to have exceeded $1,000,000 a month, at approximately $3,200,000 for the quarter. The estimated yield was in the neighborhood of 91,200 ounces, compared with 79,423 ounces in a like period of last year.

Actual recoveries so far recorded in Provincial circles included 35,130 ounces in January, and 26,003 ounces in February. To this, it was thought, March will have added some 30,000 ounces.

At $35 an ounce, January and February returns were worth an aggregate of $2,139,655; while the average price in those months was $35.06 and $35.18 per ounce, respectively.

Gold recoveries in March, 1935, were 28,019 ounces, and this figure may be slightly exceeded in the current year, it is said.

Unable to Find Trace Of Meteor

ROSEBURG, Ore., May 9 (AP).—Two flyers, Joe Berchtold, Salem, and Fred Kinsel, Roseburg, flew today over an area in which a meteor was believed to have fallen yesterday, but they found no trace of it.

The shock which rattled buildings here and was at first thought to have been an earthquake was believed to have been caused by concussion from the probable explosion of the meteor in the earth's atmosphere.

Annual Tribute to Past Mainland Extravagances Is Heavy Load on Island

By B. A. McKELVIE

Municipalities throughout British Columbia need expect no help from the Provincial Government this year. The Victoria City Council was told so in plain terms last week and, as a result, the Capital City, which has to provide water, sewers, fire protection, police protection, and the other services of a municipality to the Parliament Buildings, has had to raise the civic tax rate ehormously.

The Provincial Government was sympathetic, but mere sympathy does not assist in the payment of municipal bills. The Government frankly intimated that there was no money available for assistance to Victoria or to other municipalities, and hence sympathy alone was extended. If money had been available, then the Treasury would have been pleased to give assistance.

Now, why is there no money available? Last year the revenues obtained from the taxpayers exceeded those collected in any single year in the history of British Columbia. Despite this fact it was with difficulty that the Government arranged to meet a bond maturity due for payment next week.

The answer is that past wastefulness by previous governments burdened the province with such a tremendous debt that there is no money available to help municipalities. In fact, sources of revenue formerly allocated to that purpose were withdrawn when the depression got under way. These moneys upon which municipalities depended were required by the Treasury confronted with the additional demands made upon the Province for unem-

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ROMAN EMPIRE COMES BACK BY PROCLAMATION OF GREAT DUCE

Benito Mussolini Names Victor Emmanuel Emperor of Conquered Ethiopia—Decrees Are Rushed Through Grand Fascist Council And Italian Cabinet—Viceroy Named

League of Nations to Worry Over Sanctions on Monday

ROME, May 9 (AP).—Benito Mussolini, after fifteen centuries, proclaimed the restoration of the Roman Empire of the Caesars tonight. Decreeing total Italian sovereignty over conquered Ethiopia and proclaiming Victor Emmanuel, his King, to be emperor of that primitive land, Il Duce gave back to his millions of people a reborn Empire "on the seven fateful hills of Rome."

From his Palazzo Venezia balcony, standing in the flaming light of searchlights and flares, he shouted:

"The Italian people have created an empire with their blood. They will fertilize it with their work and will defend it against anyone with their men!"

DEMANDS A PLEDGE

From the thousands of civilians and war-armed soldiers who packed Venezia Square, he demanded a pledge: "Will you be worthy of it?"

"Si! Si!" Their response came back in a great and echoing roar.

The decrees of empire, rushed swiftly through successive meetings of the Grand Fascist Council and the Italian Cabinet, made Marshal Pietro Badoglio Viceroy of Ethiopia.

It was he who broke the back of savage Ethiopian resistance and marched down out of the mountains to capture Addis Ababa as Emperor Haile Selassie fled into self-exile.

Long before the Grand Council received the salute from Black-Shirt musketeers of Il Duce's own bodyguard, the square was filling with the thousands who heard and saw the Dictator.

HEARD BY MILLIONS

Other millions in far corners of the earth heard his words by radio—among them his aviator sons, Vittorio and Bruno, in Addis Ababa. In dim Ethiopian war camps the grimy soldiers heard it; in public

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Rules of Traffic Too Much Bother For the Oriental

PEIPING, May 9 (AP).—Local chauffeurs and ricksha pullers are rejoicing over a general relaxation of the strict traffic regulations which were inaugurated early in the year 1935. A new, but old-fashioned city administration has decided that the modern regulations were too much bother. So far no increase in accidents has been reported.

MINISTER IS ON WAY EAST

Premier Returning From Ottawa; Hon. F. M. MacPherson En Route There

Hon. F. M. MacPherson, Minister of Public Works, left Vancouver yesterday for Ottawa by train, to lay British Columbia highway plans before the Federal Government. He will be followed shortly by Hon. A. W. Gray, going East to discuss parks, and possibly also by Hon. K. C. MacDonald, on agriculture. Premier Pattullo is expected back in the city this week from Ottawa.

Mr. MacPherson left from the Mainland city, where he had gone earlier in the week, without returning here. Word of his departure was announced yesterday from Vancouver.

The understanding in Provincial circles was that the Minister is going East to renew conversations he began with the Dominion Government shortly after the last session. He took with him plans for extensive highway developments in British Columbia, out of which were to be proposed some projects for first consideration.

PREMIER AWAITED

Meanwhile, the British Columbia Ministry here was awaiting the return of Premier Pattullo and the answer to a number of questions discussed between the two Governments in the last few weeks. Outstanding among these problems were the issue of relief financing, now growing acute; validation of Provincial taxation, together with fresh tax sources; the contentious loan-council issue, and a number of departmental matters of varying importance.

Whether Premier Pattullo is bringing the answers to these questions with him or not did not appear to be known yesterday by members of the Government here.

Heat Wave Sweeping Mid-West

CHICAGO, May 9 (AP).—A Spring sun burned with Summer intensity over most of the United States east of the Western Plains today.

Forecasters here said there was no indication of an immediate let-up in the May heat wave which sent temperatures as high as 95 degrees in the Mid-West and brought widespread readings in the high 80's. They added that it probably would continue into next week, except for occasional relief from thundershowers.

BUDGET IS NOW BEING CHECKED

D. A. Macdonald Preparing Expenditure By-Law—Taxes Lower Than 1932

Many property-holders took up pencil and pad yesterday to figure out what the new tax rate would mean on their tax bills this year, while at the City Hall a study of the situation was made.

The outcome was that while in the majority of cases the tax bill would be higher, it nevertheless would be lower than the 1932 bill, which was the worst year of the depression.

D. A. Macdonald, city comptroller and treasurer, started yesterday morning on checking the figures of the revised 1936 budget so as to prepare the annual expenditure by-law for submission to the City Council.

DATE NOT SET YET

No definite date has been set for the next meeting, but in all probability it will be Wednesday, inasmuch as the various tax by-laws have to be passed before May 15, so that another meeting will be necessary after the session at present planned for Wednesday.

A survey of influential taxpayers disclosed that there was no concentrated drive to start a tax strike, and that rumors to this effect were unfounded.

LIKES A RIDE IF REASONABLY FAR

Hundred Miles or So Not Too Much for Woman Pioneer Now Grandmother

QUESNEL, B.C., May 9 (AP).—A ride of 135 miles over mountain trails is nothing unusual for Mrs. W. B. Comstock, a pioneer resident of British Columbia.

Mrs. Comstock recently rode to Quesnel from Batnuni Lake, 135 miles northwest of here, leading a pack-horse on which was diamond-hitched bedding and provisions for the trip, which took her five days. She said, however, that this would be her last long trip on horseback.

"I did not mind these long journeys thirty or forty years ago," she said, "but travel by saddle horse is a little too strenuous for a grandmother."

ARGENTINE NAVY TO BE ENLARGED

Plans Under Way to Build Cruiser, Three Destroyers and Three Submarines

BUENOS AIRES, May 9 (AP).—A new cruiser and several smaller ships may be added to the Argentine navy, strongest in South America, this year.

A ten-year naval modernization plan approved by Congress in 1926 expires in September and the Ministry of Marine is contemplating fulfilling the final step, which would add a cruiser, three destroyers and three submarines to the fleet. Seven mine-sweepers now are building in Argentine yards.

The Argentine fleet now includes two battleships, two cruisers, eight destroyers, three submarines with a mother-ship, five mine-sweepers and a schoolship.

IN CRITICAL CONDITION AFTER HORSE'S KICK

VANCOUVER, May 9 (AP).—Robert Morton, forty-year-old dairy company employee, was in a critical condition in hospital here today with a crushed chest and possible internal injuries, suffered when kicked by a horse at the stable where he was employed.

TOURIST PLANE CRASHES

BERNE, Switzerland, May 9 (CP-Havas).—The pilot and two passengers of a tourist plane flying from Zurich to the French Riviera were killed today when their plane crashed near Lugano.

WILL DELAY BY-ELECTION

Victoria Seat Expected to Remain Vacant Until September or October

(Special to The Colonist)

OTTAWA, May 9.—By-election in Victoria necessitated by the sudden death of D'Arcy B. Plunkett, Conservative member, is expected to be delayed by the Government until September or October.

There are several reasons advanced in official quarters. A contest is not desired by the Administration while Parliament is in session. It is also anxious to have its full quota of Western ministers available for the campaign in which Conservative Leader Bennett plans to participate and Prime Minister King likely will make similar arrangements.

GOING ON PILGRIMAGE

Hon. Ian MacKenzie, however, sails for France about the second week in July as representative of the Government to the Vimy Pilgrimage, with a remote possibility Premier King, who has been considering the matter, may eventually decide to attend also. The British Columbia minister will be away from Canada for a month or six weeks.

Another factor is: under the bill to be introduced in Parliament shortly for holding by-elections this year, it will be necessary to conduct an enumeration in such instances to bring 1935 election lists up to date as registration has been suspended for one year while the Election and Franchise Acts are being reviewed. The putting of all essential machinery into operation once the bill receives royal assent could hardly be completed until mid-August, Dominion electoral officers estimate.

Two Stricken After Eating Fungus Plant

VANCOUVER, May 9 (AP).—Mrs. G. Owens, of Lulu Island, and her sixteen-year-old daughter, Marion, tonight were in grave condition after eating fungus plants they apparently believed to be mushrooms.

Dr. Andrew Lowrie was called to the Owens' home tonight to find them violently ill. He learned they had eaten wild fungus which they believed were mushrooms and took them to hospital in his car.

First reports said their condition was fair, but hospital attaches late tonight described them as "poor."

Conclusion of Pact May Be Turning-Point In N. Asia's History

China and Japan Will Be on Same Side for First Time in Decade if Russia and Outer Mongolia Agree

NANKING, China, May 9 (AP).—Conclusion of a military pact between Russia and Outer Mongolia is seen here as a possible turning-point in the history of Northern Asia, marking as it does the first time in a decade that China and Japan are on the same side of the fence.

Japanese activities in Manchuria and Russian efforts in Mongolia have been only superficially similar, although both have resulted in the painting with new colors of hundreds of thousands of square miles blocked out in yellow on generally accepted maps of the Chinese Empire.

MONGOLS CONQUERORS

The Mongols, under Genghis Khan and Kubla Khan conquered China and subjugated the Chinese. Modern China never has boasted the conquest of Mongolia. The Mongol princes in the seventeenth century acknowledged the suzerainty of the Manchu Emperors of China, but continued to enjoy an autonomy not allowed the subjugated Chinese. But when the infant Emperor Pu Yi, last of the Manchus, climbed down from the dragon throne, the Mongols considered their only link with China broken.

Conscious of czarist Russia's imperialistic glances in their direction, however, the Mongols avoided a clean break with the new-born Chinese republic, achieving a state of autonomy which acknowledged Chinese sovereignty, Russian special interests and the right of self-government by the Mongols.

CHINESE SLAUGHTERED

China seized the opportunity offered by the Russian revolution to cancel Mongolian autonomy and send a Chinese army northward. The Chinese were slaughtered, and the Living Buddha of Urga set up as "Holy Duke" claiming the allegiance of all Outer Mongolian princes. In the course of driving the White Russians out of Siberia, the Soviets gained control of the "Holy Duke," establishing an independent Outer Mongolia.

Upon the death of the "Holy Duke," Russia increased her influence in the area by setting up a "people's republic," affiliated to, but not a formal member of, the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics, with the capital at Urga, renamed Ulan Bator.

CHINA'S HOPE DASHED

Conclusion of the mutual assistance protocol between Moscow and Urga has not only dashed China's hope of regaining even a nominal influence in Outer Mongolia, but also has given Russia a direct interest in the "people's republic's" border feud with Japanese-sponsored Manchukuo.

With her interests thus involved, Japan is spurring Nanking to protest against the Soviet "infringement" of Chinese sovereignty in Mongolia.

Japan long has wanted at least North China as an ally against the Communistic influence. While China fears she might be the eventual loser in any Russo-Japanese clash, the new pact may yet serve as the reason for an undertaking between Nanking and Tokio.

MOST SECRET PLACE

PEIPING, China, May 9 (AP).—Sprawling on the banks of Tola River, which winds through a broad level plain, and guarded on three sides by lofty mountain ranges, lies Urga (Ulan Bator), capital of Outer Mongolia, one of the most secret places in the world, the mass of its population little aware of Asiatic war clouds.

Urga is divided into three districts, the Russian, Mongol and Chinese settlements. During the Summer months the streets are dusty tunnels from the dashing hoofs of Mongol horsemen, and in the Winter they are muddy streams through which traffic is impossible.

Merchants, traders and townsmen, in the loose garments of the Mongols, pass through streets spotted with Russian-trained soldiery, and nomads from the plains pitch their "yurts" where the city ends. Lama monasteries dot the surrounding mountains, their startlingly white walls in sharp contrast with the green of the hills and their golden roofs gleaming in the sun.

MIXED POPULATION

The population of Mongolia is made up of five classes. Since the influence of Moscow has come over the land of the nomads, Russians of all types, soldiers, teachers and tradesmen have crossed the well-guarded frontiers. Chinese are still there, though their numbers are reduced. The princes, descendants of tribal rulers under Genghis Khan, are still represented by a small minority, and the lamas and the common people or peasants make up the rest.

Since the change of Government under the Russian influence, many changes have taken place in this far outpost of Communism. The princes, who were once the tribal leaders, have been, for the most part, driven out, and their lands and properties confiscated by the Government. The Mongols have been given schools and attempts made to convert them to farming, but with small success.

MONASTERIES POWERFUL

Life centres about the monasteries. They are powerful and the Russians have been unable to drive them out. Practically every family which makes any pretence of social position, has at least one member in one of these institutions and the lamas compose one-third of the population of the country.

Most of the lamasaries are very rich. When a Mongol becomes ill a lama is summoned. Under common procedure he consults a "Holy book" and tells the man "It is written therein" that in order to recover he must give the monastery some sheep. A wealthy man may be compelled to donate at least fifty of a flock in this manner before he recovers. Finally, if he is still ill, the lama may tell him the "Holy book" says he must die.

When the Russians, fifteen years ago, began controlling Outer Mongolia, the country had a living Buddha as its head who ranked third in title of Bogdo Khan or Holy Lord. His full name was Jebstun Damba Khotokhto. Buddhists from all over the world collected presents for him.

MATERIAL WEALTH

One of the richest men in the world, his palace contained, among other things never before seen in Outer Mongolia, a dozen motor cars, a complete electric light plant — unproducing, machine guns, organs, pianos, slot machines, and thousands of other things. He had an elephant the only one in all the Mongolias.

Once every year life in Mongolia becomes bright and hilarious. This is in the late Summer when the monastery festivals are held and from all over the land the nomads trek in and set up their "yurts" until the plains about the monasteries are literally covered with them.

DANCE FOR HOURS

The second day of the four-day fair is devoted to devil dances. The priests dance for hours on end. The guests watch and refresh themselves from buckets filled with kumiss, a drink reported highly intoxicating and made from fermented mare's milk. It is well for a foreigner to carry his own cup, because every Mongolian considers himself a host and will offer the stranger a drink from his personal cup, but only after first licking it "clean" and wiping it upon an unclean and sweaty sleeve.

After the great fairs the herdsmen go back to their simple, isolated and lonely lives upon the great plains, where their only interests are the protection and increase of their flocks and herds, little dreaming of the war clouds which threaten them.

Easter Lilies for Vancouver Mothers

As a good will offering from Victoria, 2,000 potted Easter lilies today will be distributed by the zone council of the Canadian Legion at Vancouver to mothers, wives and widows of war veterans, and hospitals. The lilies were grown and donated by Dirk Van der Bent, and the presentation was arranged by the Tourist Trade Development Association. They were transported to the wharf through the courtesy of Harold Husband. Shown in the photograph, from left to right, are: T. H. Eslick, general secretary of the Tourist Trade Development Association; Mr. Van der Bent, and Angus Chilton, of the Gray Line.

TRIBUTE PAID LOCAL WRITER

Archie MacCorkindale Receives High Praise in University Quarterly

ARCHIE MacCORKINDALE

"Mr. MacCorkindale is as adept a playwright as any now writing in Canada. One foresees his chief danger in facility, in too great readiness to write sure-fire formula plays."

This was the high tribute and the warning given by W. S. Milne to Archie MacCorkindale, of this city, when writing on Canadian drama in The University of Toronto Quarterly.

Mr. Milne said of Victoria's promising playwright:

"Another playwright of considerable skill and unquestionable energy is Archie MacCorkindale, who has sent in half-a-dozen one-acters, and one full-length play, 'When Thieves Fall Out' is a three-act melodrama of the high jinks act melodrama of the high jinks of Hollywoodish criminals laid aboard trans-Atlantic liners and in luxury hotels. The dialogue runs to cliche, and the situations to negligee. It is a slick machine product, obviously written with one eye on the screen. 'Death Rides the Merry-go-Round' however, is of more substance. It depicts the last moments of a Russian prisoner about to be shot for treason to the Tsar.

"'And All Our Tomorrows' is an excellent expressionistic play with trick lighting, depicting man as he is, might be, has been, and is yet to come. It is dull and pretentious, though there are in it touches of good theatre. Like most plays of this sort, there is not enough in it to justify the labor of production.

"In 'Portrait of a Celebrity,' Mr. MacCorkindale has perhaps done his best work as yet. It is a slight story, but the dialogue is good, the characterization convincing and clear," Mr. Milne said, and concluded with the remarks, already quoted at the beginning of this story.

A small boy who lived in the depths of the country, was paying his first visit to the town. The garden of the house where he was staying overlooked the entrance to a railway tunnel. On his first morning he surprised his mother by rushing in from the garden and shouting: "Mother, I've just seen a row of houses run up a suff!"

The word "suff," or "sough," is a colloquialism for a drainpipe or a sewer.

Noted Educationist To Speak Here

SIR ROBERT FALCONER

PRESIDENT emeritus of the University of Toronto, and a distinguished Canadian educationist, will be the guest speaker at the annual meeting of the Victoria branch of the League of Nations Society, to be held in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium on Monday, May 18, at 8:15 p.m. Sir Robert is on a lecture tour of the Dominion, speaking in the principal cities on the subject, "Canada and World Peace." Dean Quainton will preside at the meeting here. The public is invited to attend.

CORONATION EVENT TO BE HELD MAY 23

May Queen Will Be Crowned At Picturesque Ceremony At Parliament Square

BALL IS ARRANGED; FIREWORKS PLANNED

A picturesque ceremony has been arranged for the crowning of the May Queen, to be held in connection with the May 24 celebrations, it was announced yesterday by Trustee Percy George, chairman of the committee in charge of this phase of the festivities.

The procession will assemble at 3:30 p.m. Saturday, May 23, on the lawn of the Empress Hotel, and then proceed to the Parliament Buildings steps. The procession will be led by Chief of Police Thomas Heatley, and body guard, of eight or ten police officers, for the queen. Following the guard will be the May Queen. Next will come the four trainbearers, two flowergirls and then the two princesses. Visiting festival queens from other centres will also be in the procession.

MAYOR TO OFFICIATE

On arrival at the Parliament Buildings, the May Queen will be greeted by Mayor David Leeming and other civic dignitaries. The coronation will then take place, just after the arrival of the Vancouver boat, after which the procession will proceed to Belleville Street, along Belleville to Government, along Government to Fort, Fort to Douglas, along Douglas to the Hudson's Bay Company store, back along Douglas and up Yates Street.

During the crowning ceremony, a band will be in attendance, and a daylight display of fireworks will be given in the Inner Harbor.

It is hoped to be able to arrange a garden party fete in the afternoon so that the May Queen may be the guest of honor.

In the evening a May Queen ball will be held in the Empress Hotel, from 9 o'clock until midnight. Supper will be served at 10:30 o'clock.

LA MARECHALE TO SPEAK IN CITY

Daughter of Late General Booth Will Lecture in St. Andrew's Church, May 17-19

Arrangements have now been completed for the three days' visit of Mrs. Catherine Booth-Clibborn, eldest daughter of the late General Booth, in Victoria, at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, May 17 to 19.

The following services will be held:

Sunday evening, May 17, at 7:30 o'clock; Monday, May 18, at 8 p.m.; Tuesday, May 19, at 8 p.m.

The Marechale is on her way to Australia for an evangelistic tour and will sail by Ss. Aorangi on May 20, under the auspices of the World Dominion Movement.

CHARLES LAUGHTON ACCLAIMED IN PARIS FOR PRESENTATION

PARIS, May 10 (AP). — Charles Laughton, the British actor, was acclaimed today for a distinguished presentation of a French role in the Comedie Francaise.

He played the part of Sganarelle in Moliere's "Le Medecind Malgre Lui," and called his appearance "the most daring adventure I ever attempted."

Laughton thus gained the distinction of being the first actor whose mother tongue is English to appear in a classical French drama in the Comedie Francaise.

Dramatic critics praised his French diction as well as his interpretation of the role.

The performance was a midnight benefit staged Friday night for the widow of a former Comedie Francaise actor.

Heads Newly-Formed Active Club Here

—Photograph by Gibson

LEA McMARTIN

WILL lead the Victoria branch of Active International, young men's service club organization. He was elected president at a meeting on Thursday night. Mr. McMartin was one of the organizers of the local club, and was assisted by Jack Grover and Brian Burdon-Murphy, who were named vice-president and secretary, respectively.

BUDGET DEBATE NEARING CLOSE

Division May Come on Tuesday—Estimates Are Being Passed Rapidly

OTTAWA May 9 (CP).—Budget, estimates and committees occupied members of the House of Commons this week, with Opposition Leader Bennett starting off the former debate, followed by J. S. Woodsworth, C.C.F. Leader; J. H. Blackmore, Social Credit Leader, and the lone Reconstructionist member, Hon. H. H. Stevens. Numerous private members also spoke.

Estimates proceeded rapidly through committee of the whole House, featured by the annual attack against spending money on armories and other matters of national defences, led by Miss A. Macphail (U.F.A.-Labor, Grey-Bruce) and Mr. Woodsworth. Public Works estimates provoked much criticism, with Mr. Bennett and others charging there had been too much patronage in the allocation of jobs.

DIVISION ON TUESDAY

It is anticipated the budget debate will end early next week, with Tuesday as the likely date for division, and the balance of the week devoted to discussion of the various resolutions authorizing tax and tariff changes.

Liberal members are reported as planning to refrain from prolonging the budget discussions, and Mr. Dunning may be the only speaker from that side when he closes the debate. This, however, is not certain, and there are doubtless several Liberal members on the back benches who would like to register their views on policies, monetary and financial.

COMMITTEES ACTIVE

Railways, radio, elections, agriculture, pensions and other committees met frequently during the week and the first mentioned, after dealing with the C.N.R. annual report, closed its public sessions for the moment. It has not yet been decided whether or not the bill to restore the Canadian National directorate will be referred to this committee. If it is there will probably be more public sittings.

J. C. Pendray Will Speak Tomorrow to Victoria Chamber

OWING to illness, Robert J. Cromie, publisher of The Vancouver Sun, will be unable to address the annual meeting of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, tomorrow at 12:10 p.m., in Spencer's dining-room, and J. C. Pendray has agreed to speak to the gathering on his "Impressions of South America," which country he recently toured. Newly-elected officers of the Chamber of Commerce will be publicly installed by Mayor Leeming. The public is invited to attend, and all are asked to telephone their reservations to the Chamber of Commerce, E.mpire 7191.

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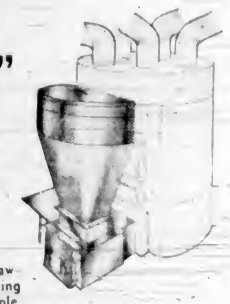

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Oak Bay Schools to Be Made Attractive In Their Environs

Over an Extended Period, Trustees Will Make Grounds Under Their Charge Places of Beauty at Nominal Costs

THE school board of Oak Bay has arranged a progressive plan for the beautification of school grounds in the municipality. The plan will not be completed in 1936, but will extend over a considerable term of years.

The idea worked out with the assistance of the best advice available with regard to landscape gardening and beautification. The scheme will not fall heavily upon the taxpayer as only a small expenditure will be made in any one season, but the board expects to have, in the school grounds, something that will be of value to the municipality.

At the High School, work will be started at once on additional tennis courts and a new rugby pitch, which will relieve the present used grounds and will permit ploughing the main part later in the year, ready for seeding this Fall.

TO PLOUGH GROUNDS

The main part of the grounds are, at present, not ideal for playing purposes, owing to the rough surface. The intention is to put them in good shape so that they will be as near perfect as possible.

In connection with the grounds there will also be a considerable amount of landscape gardening carried out so that these grounds will be a very attractive feature of the municipality. Trees and shrubs will be utilized to bring the whole into a harmonious scheme of beautification, and will provide a suitable environment for the youth of the community.

Under the scheme worked out by the school board, in co-operation with the buildings and grounds committee, presided over by R. W. Murdock, the work in hand will not be confined to the High School alone. Other school premises are also being included in the plan.

AT WILLOWS SCHOOL

In the case of Willows School, the grounds are not as expansive as in the case of some of the other centres, but care is being taken to give pupils attending this school every facility possible for recreation.

A gate has been placed at the entrance to the grounds from Cadboro Bay Road as a safety measure. This will prevent the children going out onto the well-traveled Cadboro Bay Road in danger of passing cars. The safety measure is especially valuable from the standpoint of bicycle riders coming from the school. The entrance at this point is rather obscured and under the new arrangements bicyclists must slow down, dismount and pass through a narrow passage.

The entrance for automobiles to the school ground will be diverted under the new plans to the east side of the Willows grounds, which is open to full view and less dangerous than the old western entrance.

For the pupils some additional hard surfacing is to be carried out by the board to provide for more basketball grounds.

MONTEREY GROUNDS

At Monterey School quite an elaborate plan is to be carried out, following the acquisition of an additional lot, with the co-operation of the municipal council, fronting on Oliver Street.

A start is to be made at once in levelling the playgrounds along the Oliver Street section, which, at the present time, is not suitable for a playground. The trustees have in view a plan for general improvement of the whole grounds at the school. There will be arrangements to plant trees in various parts, and to improve the landscape, making the whole place a beauty spot.

At the same time care will be taken to provide for playing sections for the pupils.

COMPLETE PLAN

When completed it will be a very attractive place, as Monterey School grounds lend themselves to the carrying out of such a landscape scheme.

The fact that some lots for a long time encroached upon the area that should have been included in the school surroundings, prevented any such a plan being carried out. With the acquisition of the adjoining lots the difficulty has been overcome.

MOTHER'S BIRTHDAY NOT SO IMPORTANT

NORTH BAY, Ont., May 9 (CP).—Quietly working in the garden of her modest though famous farm home, Mrs. Olva Dionne, Canada's most famous mother, passed her twenty-seventh birthday Thursday, without ado. There was no unusual recognition of the event.

New President of Junior Chamber

—Photograph by Gibson.

J. N. FINDLAY

WAS recently elected president of the Victoria Junior Chamber of Commerce in recognition of his long, active interest in the activities of the organization. He succeeded Leslie Osborne. Mr. Findlay and Mr. Osborne are also Junior Chamber representatives on the directorate of the Senior Chamber of Commerce.

NOT TO APPLY THIS SEASON

Seine Net Regulations May Be Amended for Fraser River Area

OTTAWA, May 9 (CP).—Seine net regulations in the Fraser River estuary in British Columbia may be amended next year, limiting the area where the big nets may be used, Hon. J. E. Michaud, Fisheries Minister, told the House of Commons last night.

In the meantime, the regulations do not apply this season, the department will investigate their effect on seine and gill-net fishermen. "If it is found the regulations are detrimental to any class of fishermen, there is no question they will be revised," the minister promised.

In view of the minister's promises, Thomas Reid (Lib., New Westminster) withdrew his bill to prohibit seine-net fishing off the mouth of the Fraser River.

Hon. H. H. Stevens (Recon., Kootenay East) could not agree with the Reid bill although he believed seine fishing should be prevented within five miles of the shore line.

The bill was supported by H. J. Barber (Cons., Fraser Valley).

FOREIGN CURRENCIES COMPILED ON BASIS OF CANADIAN DOLLAR

MONTREAL, May 9 (CP).—British and foreign exchange closed steady. China, Hongkong dollar, 3[illegible]; India, per, 3777; Japan, y'n, 2913; Poland, zloti, .1892.

Husband—If we had a million dollars, do you know what I'd do with my share of it?

Wife—No. Just what would you do with a thousand dollars, darling?

CLIMBERS AT MT. EVEREST

British Expedition Plans Assault on Peak in Last Week of May

DARJEELING, India, May 10 (AP).—Snow-capped Mount Everest, the "Devil Mountain" that has taken nine lives since 1921, saw today the beginnings of the fifth attempt to reach its 29,000-foot crown.

Far below, at base camp No. 1, pitched in the "lap" of the Himalayan giant, were Hugh Ruttledge and his 1936 British expedition, which will gradually work up the side of the mountain during the next three or four weeks—ready for the final assault about the last week in May.

Two great secrets will spur them on:

1. Can man stand on the roof of the world—and live?

2. What happened to George Mallory and Andrew Irvine, members of the 1924 expedition, who lost their lives when almost within sight of their goal?

ISSUES CLOSELY LINKED

The first question, it is believed, is closely linked with the second.

When last seen, Mallory and Irvine were going strong. They had fought their way to within a few hundred feet of the crest. Then suddenly the great white plume that forever swirls over the summit lunged down and engulfed them. When the plume lifted again, the two men had vanished.

Nine years later, in 1933, Mallory's ice-axe was found on an ice ledge near the 28,000-foot mark. It was the only trace ever found.

ENFEEBLED IN RARE AIR

Some alpinists believe the two men, enfeebled to a point of delirium by the rarefied upper air, nevertheless pushed on until they reached a "death zone," where the air is too thin to support human life.

The 1936 expedition is well equipped with oxygen to combat the upper reaches. But it was still undecided, when they left here, whether to risk the extra burden of oxygen tanks or whether to trust to human energy to reach the virgin patch of snow which marks journey's end of the "last great adventure on earth."

LOCAL PASTOR IS GOING EAST

Rev. Charles G. MacKenzie Accepts Call to Sackville United Church

REV. CHARLES G. MACKENZIE

Rev. Charles Gilly MacKenzie, B.A., B.D., of Centennial United Church, has accepted a call to the United Church at Sackville, New Brunswick, and expects to take over his duties there about the middle of August, it was announced yesterday. Mr. MacKenzie's resignation from the present pastorate already has been accepted, and will take place on June 30. He has been with the Centennial Church since 1923.

During his residence in this city, Mr. MacKenzie has taken an active part in many public matters, being one of the founders of the Victoria branch of the John Howard Society, of which he is secretary. He also is the president of the Victoria Ministerial Association, and a director of the League of Nations Society. He was chairman of the Religious Education Council for the Victoria Presbytery, and chairman of the Boys' Work Board of the Kiwanis Club. He also was a member of the Victoria Male Voice Choir for a time.

NEW PASTOR

Replacing him at the Centennial Church will be Rev. Dr. Andrew D. Reid, who is leaving the Chalmers United Church in Winnipeg.

In going to Sackville, Mr. MacKenzie takes over a university church. The Mount Allison University, the Mount Allison Ladies' College, Boys' Academy and the Conservatory of Music are all located in that city.

Mr. MacKenzie has had a distinguished career in the ministry. He was educated at the Prince of Wales College, Charlottetown, P.E.I., and Dalhousie University, Halifax, where he graduated with his B.A. degree in 1915. He later attended the Presbyterian College in Halifax, and the Union Theological Seminary in New York, where he received his B.D. degree and Magna Cum Laude honor in 1921.

SERVED OVERSEAS

Joining Canadian Militia, Y.M.C.A. Division, in 1916, with the rank of captain, he served in England and France, and later in Germany until demobilized in 1919. It was after the war that he attended the Union Theological Seminary. In 1922 he was made assistant to the faculty in theology and philosophy of Palisade Suburb, New York, and in 1923 was appointed assistant to Dr. Andrew Mutch, Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church, Bryn Mawr, Pa.

He returned to Canada to become pastor of St. Andrew's Church, Moosomin, Sask., in 1924, and later became pastor of the United Church in Ogema, Sask. After two years in this pastorate, he transferred to St. Paul's United Church in Grande Prairie, and later spent two years in the Peace River district.

From this work he went to Westminster, where he held the post of principal of Columbian College (in succession to Dr. A. M. Sanford). He has delivered lectures on "Religious Significance of Contemporary Philosophy" at Regina College.

Since coming to Victoria, he has done much to build up the membership of Centennial Church.

REV. A. D. REID, D.D.

Dr. Reid, who will succeed Mr. MacKenzie at Centennial Church here, has for the past five years been pastor of Chalmers United Church, Winnipeg, which has a membership of more than 500. He was given his degree of Doctor of Divinity by Manitoba College.

While minister at Port Arthur, he went overseas during the Great War as chaplain of the 26th Battalion. On his return to Canada, he became pastor of Grace Church, Calgary, and later Knox Church, Edmonton. Following a pastorate in Nova Scotia, he became minister of Chalmers Church, Winnipeg.

CANADIAN DOLLAR AND POUND RATES

MONTREAL, May 9 (CP) — Pound sterling lost 27-32 cent at $4.95 5-32 on Montreal foreign exchanges today. The United States dollar advanced 1-32 to 1-32 of 1 per cent premium, while the French franc was up .01 cent at 6.59 cents.

CHAMBER INVITED TO CELEBRATIONS

International Harbor and Port Day Programme to Be Held in Vancouver, May 15

The entire membership of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce has been invited to participate in the International Harbor and Port Day in Vancouver, being held May 15 by the Transportation and Customs Bureau of the Vancouver Board of Trade.

A feature of the day's programme is a luncheon address by B. C. Nicholas, who will speak on "The Pacific Travels On," at 12.30 p.m. in the Vancouver Hotel.

The day will begin with the welcoming of visitors at 9.30 a.m. at the Vancouver Hotel, followed by a tray around the harbor aboard the fishery inspection launch Fisha. At 2 p.m. the party will leave by automobile to see the new Fraser River bridge development and to inspect the port facilities.

Obituary

ATKINSON—Many friends attended the funeral of the late Fannie Atkinson, which took place on Saturday afternoon. C. G. McClean conducted the service at the chapel, during which the hymns, "Rise My Soul" and "Praise the Saviour" were sung. Interment was made in Colwood Burial Park, with W. Ingram officiating, during which "Abide With Me" was sung. The following were the pallbearers: A. E. Percival, A. Scrougie, J. Daniells, A. V. Elmerat, A. S. Lorimer and C. T. Price.

GEMMELL—In St. Joseph's Hospital, yesterday, there passed away Thomas Hastings Gemmell, aged seventy-seven years, a resident of Goldstream. Mr. Gemmell was born in Scotland and came to Victoria forty-eight years ago. He is survived by one brother, John Gemmell, in Scotland, and one sister, Mrs. A. Ross, of Goldstream. Funeral services will be conducted on Tuesday in the chapel of Sands' Mortuary, Ltd., at 2 o'clock. Rev. Dr. Glen Davies will officiate, and the remains will be laid at rest in Colwood Burial Park.

ANGUS—There was a large attendance of sympathizing friends at the last rites held over the remains of Mrs. Mary Cecilia Angus yesterday afternoon. Rev. H. P. S. Luttrell officiated, and the hymns "Abide With Me" and "Nearer, My God, to Thee" were sung. A profusion of beautiful floral offerings was received. After the service, the remains were forwarded to Toronto for interment in the family plot at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

SHAW—Funeral services for Frank S. Shaw, who passed away on Friday, will be held Monday, at 2 p.m., in Sands' Mortuary, Ltd., Chapel, Rev. Canon Cheadwick will officiate, and interment will be made in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

AKERMAN—At Lady Minto Hospital, Ganges, on Saturday morning, the death occurred of Mrs. Agnes Campbell Akerman, aged sixty-one years, wife of James Akerman, of Beaver Point, Saltspring Island. Mrs. Akerman was born in Greenock, Scotland, and had been a resident of Saltspring for the last twenty-six years. She is survived by her husband, one daughter, Mrs. Ivy Clark, of Beaver Point, and one grandson; also two sisters in Scotland and a brother in India and several cousins in Vancouver. The funeral service will be held on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in St. Mary's Church, Fulford Harbor, Rev. C. M. Popham officiating. Interment will be made in the churchyard. Flowers delivered to McCall Bros.' Funeral Home before 8.30 o'clock on Monday morning will be taken to the service.

INFLUX OF VISITORS FROM EAST STARTED

Eastern United States visitors are beginning to come to the city in numbers. Empress Hotel officials stated yesterday that the tourist season was earlier this year and they looked for a better Summer than last.

Among the Eastern visitors who registered at the hotel yesterday were: Miss H. Imlrie and Miss Jean Ker Washington, D.C.; Miss June Werry, Portland; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sutton, Chicago; Mr. D. L. Hurlburt, Chattanooga, Tenn.; and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Goltschalk, Baltimore.

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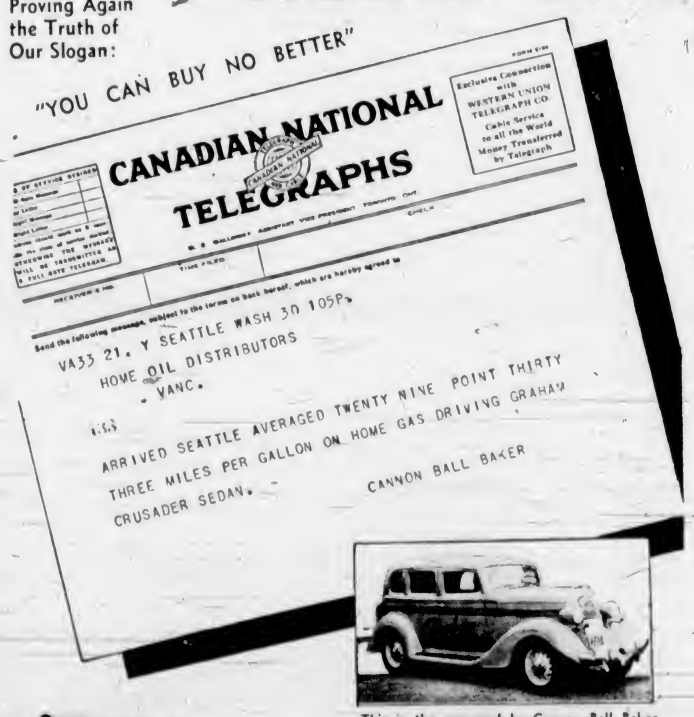
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INCREASED MUNICIPAL TAXES

The procrastinating attitude of the Provincial Government in not even attempting to find a solution of municipal financial problems is the reason for a substantial increase in this City's taxation for the present year. The mill rate is increased from 42 to 46 mills. Improvements will be taxed on 65 per cent of their assessed value instead of 60 per cent as last year. There was no other course that the City Council could have adopted, unless it had reneged many obligations of administrative expense to which it is committed. It had a definite object to accomplish for the prestige of Victoria, namely, to prevent the City going into the hands of a Provincial comptroller. Provided the taxation levied on land and improvements is collected, the financial conditions of the present year will be met squarely.

It is many years now since a former Provincial Premier told the municipalities that they "must stew in their own juice." Since then the financial conditions which they have been facing have grown graver and graver because of declining land values, a process that has been fostered by the heavier taxation to meet municipal administrative needs. The Provincial Government has done nothing worth while to meet the situation. That Government draws the vast bulk of its revenue from residents within municipalities wherein at least 85 per cent of the population resides. It has been concerned mainly with the ability of those people to pay Provincial, not municipal, taxes, blind to the fact that the ability to pay the taxation levied as a whole is at stake. It has also, in the matter of the allocation of the sources of taxation, as between the Province and the municipalities, practically ignored the financial welfare of the latter.

The point was reached long ago where land and improvements as the main and almost the sole source of municipal taxation have become insufficient for the purposes of municipal administration. The Union of British Columbia Municipalities has again and again illustrated this fact to the Provincial authorities. There is no need for any commission to inquire into the subject. The evidence of facts and figures is all available, and it is the bounden duty of the Provincial Government to find a solution of the problem. That solution obviously lies, not in any Provincial subsidy to municipalities, but in a reallocation of the sources of revenue as between the Province and the municipalities. This is a long overdue reform. To credit of British Columbia as a whole will continue to suffer so long as it is delayed.

AVERAGE RELIGIOUS FAITH

Cross-currents of religious faith and of irreligion have been examined by a London newspaper—The Morning Post—in order to show the reactions of the average man and woman to the Churches. Certain questions were put to which written answers were permitted so that ample time would be available for thought on the part of those questioned. Men and women of the working middle class in London were chosen to express their opinions, and since no personal publicity was involved there was no self-consciousness in their replies. These are summarized by a writer in The Morning Post in a series of articles entitled "The Empty Pew."

It is not claimed that a summary of the expressions of opinion is necessarily representative of the mass of the people in Great Britain, but it is roughly representative of the intelligent middle class that lives in London. It was found that 69 per cent of the writers no longer profess adherence to any organized religion, though most of them were brought up in some orthodox Church. The contention of the percentage mentioned is that they feel the Church of their childhood is no longer necessary or helpful to them. In the 69 per cent there are 20 per cent avowed agnostics. One writer says "Freemasonry has for me superseded any other form of religion."

There are 27 per cent of the entire group examined who confess that they never go to Church regularly. The remainder, which includes a majority with no orthodox religion, give various reasons for occasional attendance at Church. There is convention or custom, there are sentimental reasons, there is the desire to please relatives. Of the rest the majority go because they like the "atmosphere" of a Church, and occasionally are interested in a preacher. It is admitted that this statistical analysis may not have very much importance, because in matters of this kind there are bound to be border-line cases. The fact that stands out so prominently in the majority of the replies received is the large proportion of those to whom organized religion means nothing.

Because the appeal of organized religion appears to have weakened does not mean than many people are necessarily irreligious. In the replies received to the questionnaire there are broad Christian convictions expressed in many cases, and adherence to a code of living which has its roots in Christianity. The writer in The Morning Post, summarizing the viewpoints expressed, asks what is to happen the Churches when the present older generation of Churchgoers has passed away? Does the fault lie with the personnel of the Churches, and, if so, how can it be corrected? People may draw their own conclusions from the following comments of those questioned:

"The leaders of the Churches are good men, some great men, but they are handicapped by the divisions within the Churches, the economic basis of the Churches, especially the Established Church; the great loss to their prestige suffered during the War, when they lost a very great opportunity, and the social status of the Clergy when compared with that of the Founder of Christianity."

"Such leaders of the Church as I have met have impressed me as being rather cold-blooded, aloof, dull, and always—on the surface at any rate—scholarly. (Does in reality this writer mean 'academic'?) They seem to me to be quite out of touch with the needs of the present generation."

"Unquestionably the leaders of the Church do not meet the needs of the times . . . the elaboration of ritual is all that matters. Preaching the Gospel is too often neglected. A Church so divided and so interested in purely material things is losing its hold on the people. . . . I think the Church has lost more ground during the last twenty years than it did in the fifty preceding years."

"Their Christianity is not sufficiently militant. . . . Sermons are seldom worth listening to . . . They are attentive only to those who attend services and themselves invite attention. No effort is made to get hold of those who neglect religious matters, and thus a feeling develops that the Church does not want them. They drift farther away, and may drift down in life.

"I suggest that a stranger might come to London and live here for years without ever receiving a call from a clergyman or being invited to go to Church. In the old days this was not the case; today the clergy are lazy and indifferent."

The foregoing are some of the most drastic criticisms. Those who admit they go to Church regularly give expression to perfect content with the Churches as they are. They think the clergy are doing all that can be expected of them, "and that there is no modern problem, or need peculiar to modern times, for them to meet." The vast majority have some criticism to make, though most of them appreciate the difficulties involved and are sympathetic with the clergy in their efforts to carry out their duties.

WHOSE OX IS GORED?

One of the main planks in the platform of Mr. Mackenzie King when he was conducting his last election campaign, which was successful, was vivid denunciation of the "blank cheque" legislation of the Bennett Government. Now the Liberal Government has sponsored strictly similar "blank cheque" legislation in connection with its Relief Appropriation Bill. There is another instance of political inconsistency. Mr. Mackenzie King loudly denounced the late Conservative Government for failure to legislate in setting up a new capitalization structure for the Canadian National Railways. Mr. Bennett explained that such would be subject to litigation in Great Britain and therefore the matter should be postponed. Now Mr. King in dealing with capitalization reconstruction of the state-owned railways points out that such legislation could not become effective for a year or two until litigation in Great Britain is out of the way. The inconsistency of political criticism and political action on the part of the Liberal Party is notorious.

What one man can do, when richly endowed, was illustrated in the case of Primo de Rivera during his six years' rule in Spain. Under him Spain progressed spiritually and materially to an extent unprecedented in the history of any country. That period was the most prosperous and the most tranquil in the country's history in 500 years. There was no leader to succeed him. Revolutionists captured the Government and determined to reshape the destinies of the country on Marxian and anti-Christian lines. The result is chaos. The outlook is very dark in Spain in these days.

Mother

Like the late rose that fair and frail
The Winter still withstands,
Thy wrinkled brow shows sweet and pale,
Those wisps of knotted hands,
Like thorn-ed stems, the Summer past,
Tremble as in the Autumn's blast.

Fain would I weave the Summer days
About thy form again,
Bring back the warm sun's golden rays
And June's refreshing rain,
So thou, My Rose, should'st bloom in prime,
Nor know the chill of Winter time.

Yet kindly doth the season shake
Life's petals on the snow,
He who no bruised reed will break,
He hath ordained it so,
That in His garden by His grace
My Rose may find a resting-place.

DUDLEY H. ANDERSON

In a word, to be a fine gentleman is to be a generous and brave man.—Steele.

We are more sociable, and get on better with people by the heart than the intellect.—Bruyere.

You, who forget your own friends, meanly to follow after those of a higher degree, are a snob.—Thackeray.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 7.00 p.m. May 9, 1936.

SYNOPSIS OF WEATHER CONDITIONS

The pressure remains high on the Northern Coast and fine, moderately-warm weather prevails over this Province, and eastward to Manitoba.

TEMPERATURES
(For twenty-four hours.)

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	45	64
Nanaimo	47	64
Vancouver	44	60
Kamloops	40	74
Prince George	36	58
Estevan Point	38	54
Prince Rupert	32	54
Atlin	28	48
Lawson	30	54
Seattle	48	66
Portland	50	78
San Francisco	62	
Spokane	44	80
Los Angeles	60	82
Penticton	36	
Vernon	38	
Grand Forks	36	80
Nelson	38	76
Kaslo	37	
Calgary	34	72
Edmonton	42	60
Swift Current	44	76
Prince Albert	36	64
Qu'Appelle	38	70
Winnipeg	36	72
Moose Jaw	42	70

SATURDAY

Minimum	45
Maximum	64
Average	54
Minimum on the grass	34

Weather, cloudy; sunshine, May 8, 10 hrs., 6 min.

5.00 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.20; wind, S., 4 miles; cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.18; wind, W., 4 miles; cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.14; calm; fair.

Prince George—Barometer, 30.18; wind, S., 4 miles; fair.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.34; wind, NW., 4 miles; fair.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.20; wind, SW., 10 miles; cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.20; wind, N., 8 miles; cloudy.

Portland—Barometer, 30.02; wind, NW., 8 miles; fair.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.12; wind, N., 6 miles; clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.92; wind, SW., 10 miles; clear.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

"I'm not denyin' that women are foolish; God Almighty made 'em to match the men." It's the silliest lie a sensible man like you ever believed to say a women makes a house comfortable. It's a story got up because the women are there and something must be found for 'em to do.—George Eliot.

The women members of the Dominion Parliament (there are two of them, Mrs. Black and Miss McPhail) have given the men in the House a chance to refrain for a time from discussing very serious things and to talk about lighter things. Parliament has many serious things to consider and some grave problems to solve. There is the acute problem of the annual and accumulating deficits of the Canadian National Railways and the almost equally acute problem of the high cost of providing for the maintenance of the unemployed in the circumstances to which they have been accustomed. There is also the mystery of Mr. Sage and his radiographic references to Rt. Hon. William Lyon Mackenzie King during the late election campaign. The last matter is of no particular importance except in a political sense.

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So we can readily believe that the men members of Parliament, tired, worn and weary, mentally and physically, by discussions which began nowhere in particular and are likely to end in the same place, were ready to enjoy a little of what our friend Mike would call "timely diversion." It is said to have been a woman who "started something" in the beginning. We expect the women will be stirring things up until the end. In the society of men it is not considered good form, in truth, it is considered an impertinence, to make personal references to members of any company; but it is the inalienable privilege of women to say the thing they will.

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The lady member for Bruce-Grey and her colleague from the Yukon have been contributing to some publications their opinion of the physical qualities of their male contempories sitting in the Houses of Parliament. Miss MacPhail has written that a few—a very few—of the members would pass muster in a beauty contest, but her judgment is that a majority of the male members are just ordinary and some of them below ordinary. Their eyes are too close together and their ears stick out too conspicuously, after the style of animals of the lower order whose organs of hearing are called "lugs." In fact, the physical deficiencies of the males of the Parliamentary species are so glaring that they cannot be described in the terms of biology or zoology, but rather in the terms of ornithology. That is, they are birds.

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Now all men are not gifted with a sense of humor. The electors who choose Members of Parliament must have some sense of humor, judging from the choice they make when electing their representatives. Members of some representative bodies are known to have been elected just for a joke. One member of the Canadian House of Commons could not see the point of the joke of Miss MacPhail when she described certain members as handsome, one member even as "beautiful," and others with their eyes far enough apart to indicate at least an appearance of intellectuality. The Prime Minister might have considered himself as affronted because he could not qualify as an "also ran" in the string of Miss MacPhail's thoroughbreds. When the member who proposed to discuss the affair as an insult to his fellow members, raised a point of order, Mr. King dismissed the motion with a regal wave of his hand, and the matter was ended for the time being.

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A strange feature of the case is that the man who raised the point of order must be of Irish extraction, for his name is Mr McPhee. It is true the Irish people are said to be more witty than humorous, in that respect differing radically from their next-of-kin, the Scots. But the Irish are credited with having a deep and subtle knowledge of and a very taking way with women. Therefore, how are we to account for the fact that Mr. McPhee could not see, instead of feeling, the point of Miss MacPhail's joke. There must be more in this extraordinary matter than is apparent on the surface of it. It is possible that there was not a single Irishman in Miss MacPhail's selected list of beauties.

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Hon. Ian Mackenzie of Vancouver, was named near the bottom of the list. Surely our friend Mr Gerry McGeer, who soars regularly into the air like a bird, and almost has the gift of being in two places at once, has some ornithological qualifications if his physical proportions are not precisely classical. Was Scottish prejudice at the bottom of such discrimination? We are sure that Gerry's eyes are wider asunder than Hon. Ian's dark orbs. Possibly the invidious distinction may be accounted for by the fact that the member for Vancouver-Burrard was up in the air when the connoisseur made her critical survey of the members of the House.

The Observation Car

BY THE EDITORIAL STAFF

'Tis Mother's Day

Everybody is celebrating "Mother's Day" today. The "mamas" hold the roost throughout the twenty-four hours, but I think I will join them and rejoice myself, for you see what Tony Canzoneri did to Jimmy McLarnin in New York on Friday night, and I picked the lightweight "king" to just do that little thing about three weeks back. I continually reminded everybody in this column that Tony was going to win, not once but three times to be exact, and am I proud, for I can put out my chin for awhile at least and take it on both sides verbally. I had two phone calls from unknowns congratulating me for selecting something right for once in my life. One person said "Is that J.D. speaking," and when informed it was, he politely continued the conversation by saying, "That's the first one you have picked right this year isn't it?" I never had a chance to answer as bang went the phone.—J.D.

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These Changing Times

How times change? Before the advent of chatter clubs, radio talks and street-corner loud-speakers, deafness was regarded as an affliction!—S.G.

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Pass, Lady, Pass

An elderly lady, somewhat absent-minded, received an identification card for a communion service from the church of which she was a member. The following Sunday this church-going person boarded a city bound bus, using as fare her weekly pass. Arriving at church the good lady inadvertently handed her bus pass to the gentleman at the door who, equally absent-minded, accepted the same. After the service the bus was boarded and the passenger presented her communion card to the driver for transportation, which, however, was immediately declined, and being without funds had to call upon an obliging neighbor for the "where-with-all" to console the exasperated operator.—J.K.P.

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Scarcer Than Hen's Teeth

"Give an example of an imaginary spheroid," an Island high school teacher asked a student. "A rooster's egg," chirped the student. . . . A junction service station attendant had filled the tank on a woman's automobile with gasoline, checked the oil and air, and was cleaning the windshield when the woman asked: "Would you also mind going over my son's face? . . . Ample warning should be given before fire alarm systems are tested. A Victorian's future wife and her sister were decorating an apartment, in which the wedding was to be held, when the landlord decided to try out the alarm system. Both women ran screaming from the building and suffered considerable nervous shock. . . . During the week it was announced that a supreme musical authority was to address a well-known men's club. When the day of the meeting arrived, only twenty-two members of the organization showed up. We wonder if the poor attendance was evidence of members' lack of interest in music. . . . A friend of a late pioneer tells us good times are quite close. He said the pioneer used to remark conditions always improved soon after workmen tore up the Causeway, and the old man was always right. A few days ago we noticed the Causeway was being hacked about by men with pickaxes. Quick thinking saved a local insurance agent from a fine for over parking. Seeing a policeman about to attach a notice to his automobile, the insurance man complimented the bluecoat for his efficiency. He then engaged him in conversation which led to the policeman taking out a $3,000 life insurance policy. . . . We heard a clubman remark the beginning of a man's financial downfall is when he purchases a boat. We told our tobaconist friend, and he immediately decided not to buy a canoe he had his eye on.—G.B.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of May, 1936.

Date	Sunrise	Sunset	Date	Sunrise	Sunset
1	4.4	7.24	17	4.30	7.48
2	4.02	7.28	18	4.29	7.49
3	4.50	7.29	19	4.28	7.50
4	4.49	7.31	20	4.27	7.52
5	4.47	7.32	21	4.26	7.53
6	4.46	7.33	22	4.25	7.54
7	4.44	7.35	23	4.24	7.55
8	4.43	7.36	24	4.23	7.57
9	4.41	7.37	25	4.22	7.58
10	4.40	7.39	26	4.21	7.59
11	4.38	7.40	27	4.20	8.00
12	4.37	7.42	28	4.19	8.01
13	4.36	7.43	29	4.18	8.02
14	4.34	7.44	30	4.17	8.03
15	4.33	7.45	31	4.17	8.04
16	4.32	7.47			

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

From The Daily British Colonist of May 10, 1886

Visitors Coming—Sir John and Lady Macdonald, Sir A. Caron, Sir P. Middleton, Hon. J. H. Pope, Minister of Railways, Hon. McK. Bowell, Minister of Customs, Hon. Mr. Foster, Minister of Finance, a majority of the members of the Senate and House of Commons, and the Canadian Press Association, will come through early in July via the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Kootenay Ore—A number of fine specimens of galena ore from Kootenay Lake have been left at this office by Mr. Rykert. The specimens give evidence of great richness, and if the deposits prove as extensive as is now supposed, the southwestern district of the province will shortly compete with some of the most famous ore-producing states of the union.

The Fortifications—In June, Sir Adolph Caron, Major-General and Sir Frederick Middleton will meet Rear-Admiral Sir Michael Culme-Seymour at Esquimalt and finally settle upon a scheme for the fortifications at Victoria and Esquimalt. Sir F. Middleton has gone to England to receive definite instructions from the War Office, and will return to Canada in time to reach this point in June.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 500 words in length.

BEACON HILL SHELTER

Sir,—I understand that very soon the new shelter in Beacon Hill Park is to be opened to the public. I should like to make a suggestion.

Would it be possible to reserve a small portion of the shelter's spacious interior for a tea counter?

I am sure the public who so enjoy the beauties of the park would appreciate them even more if there was some place where they could refresh the inner while resting the outer man, and the wonderful view across the water to the lovely and austere Olympic Mountains would be doubly enhanced if accompanied by a good cup of tea and home-made scone or cake.

(MISS) MURIEL C. LINDSAY.
Devonshire House, 732 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C., May 8, 1936.

EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM

Sir,—In contemplating the enormous debts owed by the country, provinces, cities and municipalities of Canada is it not possible that a great deal of this condition is caused by the present method of education, for as the twig is bent so the tree will grow. Are our children being taught as Canadians should be taught, or are they pawns in a tremendous racket?

Here, in Canada, one of the world's greatest agricultural countries, our children are being trained for industrial and city life. Many hundreds of dollars of taxpayers' money are spent to educate each child, and in the majority of cases for a white-collar job. Thousands of our so educated fine young men and women have in previous years become, through necessity, United States citizens, the educating of them not costing the States one cent.

Parents, easily fooled where the welfare of their children is concerned, have been beguiled into sending them to so-called higher and costlier seats of learning, until today our cities are crowded with educated out-of-work young men and women. Fine young people physically and mentally as fine as any in this wide world, but with nothing to do. Who's crime is this? In this great Canada of ours with its millions of acres of land, its forest and mineral wealth, our children should have been, and should now be, educated in such a manner that they appreciate the great country they are members of; that they be taught to realize that there is as great a joy of living in the open spaces as in crowded cities; that in an agricultural country such as this, all cannot be bank managers, bond salesmen or college professors; that all wealth originates from the soil; that there are as many enjoyable ways of earning one's living in the country as there are in the cities, and that our educationalists realize that this is an agricultural country and teach accordingly, and not copy methods of a neighboring industrial country together with its rackets.

OLIVER A. TRICKETT
1458 Ryan Street, Victoria, B.C., May 8, 1936.

BANKS AND CHARTERS

Sir,—Its strange what an intense delight some of us get out of knocking down self-erected straw-men, so let me congratulate Mr. Spencer Percival on the replies of Professor Angus to the series of questions unfortunately irrelevant to Social Credit. But my pleasure is disturbed by the intrusion of that pernickety Irishman, who on seeing a giraffe at the zoo for the first time, said: "There ain't such an animal!"

I do wish your correspondent had been a little less hasty in his remarks about starting a bank, for I can assure him that on the Prairies, long before Social Credit raised its head, the question of starting a bank was a very contentious matter, and banks would have started long ago only for one insurmountable obstacle—the obtaining of a charter from the Senate at Ottawa.

The chartered banks of Canada are firmly entrenched at Ottawa, and one sidelight on their power was illustrated by their forcing the hands of the Ontario Government to reduce its interest rates paid on savings deposits at the Ontario Provincial Savings Bank a few years ago, despite the wish of the latter to continue paying around 4 per cent. Then another incident was their forcing of the demise of the Manitoba Provincial Savings Institution during the regime of the Bennett Government.

If Mr. Percival is somewhat at a loss to understand why some of us prefer to do our own thinking in place of accepting bolus-bolus the obfuscations of professional economists, perhaps the following extract from the latest book of John Maynard Keynes will clear the air. Says Mr. Keynes: "Although the (classical) doctrine itself has remained unquestioned by orthodox economists up to a late date, its signal failure for purposes of scientific prediction has greatly impaired, in the course of time, the prestige of its practitioners. For professional economists, after Malthus, were apparently unmoved by the lack of correspondence between the results of their theory and the facts of observation—a discrepancy which the ordinary man has not failed to observe, with the result of his growing unwillingness to accord to economists that measure of respect which he gives to other groups of scientists whose theoretical results are confirmed by observation when they are applied to the facts."

W. DIAMOND.
Sidney, B.C., May 3, 1936.

UNANIMOUS

Sir,—If we write about politics, we are sure to get some "back fire," for most of us would not agree with another party than our own, if we knew it was right. That is the usual attitude of politicians. "Once a Liberal, always a Liberal."

If we write about religion, we are almost sure to tread on some one's toes, for there are more than six hundred religions, all of them with a good many adherents. And most of us are so prejudiced that we would not examine another man's beliefs for fear we might be wrong.

But there is one subject on which we all agree, whether we be Liberal or Conservative, Methodist, Baptist, Presbyterian, Catholic or Seventh Day Adventist. And it is good to know there is one subject which is of interest to us all, regardless of our color, race, nationality, politics or religion. That subject which appeals to rich and poor, high and low, is being discussed in many different languages in all parts of the world, the subject—Mother. The month of May brings us again that day of days, "Mother's Day."

Mother is the one, who, all through the years, has seemed to understand. She has overlooked our faults and failings, and stood by us when all others fled, when others had no hope that we would ever make good. She had confidence in us, even if the whole world turned its back and said, "there is no use."

We are happy that one particular day has been set apart in honor of the best friend we ever had or ever will have on this earth. If your mother is alive, let her know through the year that you love her, but do not pass by this one particular day without giving some expression of love to the best, the truest, the most ideal woman in the world.

If your mother is gone, you still reverence her memory, and may want to resolve anew to be the kind of man or woman mother would want you to be. And should we not thank our heavenly Father that He gave to us such a priceless gift—a mother.

"God thought to give the sweetest
thing in His almighty power
To earth, and deeply pondering
What it should be—one hour
In fondest joy and love of heart
Outweighing every other,
He moved the gates of heaven apart
and gave to earth—a MOTHER."

HANS CARTWRIGHT
R.R. No. 1, Sidney, B.C., May 6, 1936.

VICTORIA DAY SPORTS

Sir,—May I, through your paper, make an appeal to the citizens of Victoria to give their wholehearted support to the Victoria Day sports and race meeting to be held at the Willows on the afternoon of Monday, May 25. The proceeds are to be divided between the Royal Jubilee and St. Joseph's Hospitals and the Queen Alexandria Solarium. The women's auxiliaries of the three institutions are working together and giving much time and thought to insure a successful entertainment. An excellent programme is being provided, and first-class refreshments and the entrance fee is very reasonable, only twenty-five cents for adults and ten cents for children. The cause of the sick and suffering surely pleads for itself.

EVELYN C. PHETHEAN.
1258 St. David Street, Victoria, B.C., May 9, 1936.

MOTHER'S DAY

Mother dear, affection true
Springs from within our hearts today.
There's no one Mother, just like you
You love each child the same old way.
Self-sacrificing, ever true
There's no one Mother just like you.

There's tender beauty in your smile
Your loving eyes, your kindly face.
So true and loyal through each trial
Your life is amply filled with grace;
Your gentle voice has soothed away
The childhood sorrows of each day.

Mother, beloved, of all loves best,
Nearest and dearest, oh, so true,
Tender and kind mid every test,
You daily give yourself anew.
A wealth of graciousness is thine
You've won my heart, dear Mother mine.

One day alone cannot contain
The words of love our lips would frame.
To tell it all they try in vain
'Tis love alone that can explain,
Your dear, large heart is ever true.
There's no one Mother, just like you.

—Marguerite Morley.

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With faith and patience unsurpassed,
They blasted day and night,
Transforming hole into a shaft,
By mighty dynamite.

Three feet by four they made that shaft,
With barely room to work,
They timbered o'er a hundred feet,
With no desire to shirk.

They gave their time, their strength, their skill,
Mid dangers oft and grave,
They counted not life dear to them,
That others they might save.

In ten days' time they reached their goal
And threw a sudden flare
Along the tube to the entombed
Which gave them quite a scare.

The two entombed were reached and saved,
Mid anxious hours and pain,
Life in the balance, see them saved
By those good Draegermen.

With care and ingenuity,
To daylight they were brought
Because those fearless Draegermen
With difficulties fought.

Their feat is published through the land
It's thrilled men far and near,
The high and low, the rich and poor,
All were so glad to hear.

So thrilled the King was with the feat
At Nova Scotia's mine
A royal message was dispatched,
Words friendly and benign.

We've read the news from day to day
Of these heroic men,
Shall we not shout "Hurrah, Hurrah!
Three cheers for Draegermen!"

WILLIAM WAUGH.
3730 Craigmillar Avenue, Victoria, B.C., May 1, 1936.

THE COLONIST IN LONDON

The Colonist may be procured at the International News Stand of Messrs. Selfridge & Co., Oxford Street.

British Bark Lost With All Hands off Amphritrite Point

Pass of Melfort Went to Doom in Terrific Gale on Reefs of West Coast of Vancouver Island, December 26, 1905

By GEORGE BONAVIA

MANY a staunch vessel has been wrecked on the coast of Vancouver Island with not a survivor left to tell the tale. One of these unfortunate craft was the British steel bark Pass of Melfort. She abruptly ended her career on a reef near Amphritrite Point on December 26, 1905, and thirty-five men speedily went to a watery grave without a single chance to save their lives.

Built at Glasgow in 1891 for Gilson & Clarke, the ill-fated vessel had four masts, and was 299 feet long, 44 feet beam, 24.5 feet deep, 2,346 tons gross, and 2,201 tons net. Her steel deck was sheathed with wood. Gilson & Clarke operated the Pass of Brander, Pass of Killicrankie, Pass of Leny and Pass of Balmaha.

Bound from Ancon for Port Townsend, in command of Captain Harry Scougall, the vessel was endeavoring to make her way into the Strait of Juan de Fuca during a roaring gale. Entirely at the mercy of wind and wave, she was driven ashore one-quarter of a mile east of Amphritrite Point. Tremendous seas soon made short work of her steel hull. The final agonizing moments of the crew must have indeed been terrible. To the last man they perished in the mountainous waves.

BODIES WASHED UP

Bodies were being washed ashore at daybreak on December 27, when A. H. Lynch, of Ucluelet, telegraphed news of the disaster to Captain James Gaudin, agent for the Marine Department at Victoria.

Said Mr. Lynch: "Vessel went ashore last night one-quarter mile east of Amphritrite Point. One body recovered dressed in overalls and oilskins. Two more seen in the surf impossible to reach. Several ship's buckets marked Pass of Melfort, barometer, cabin wreckage, boat hooks, smashed boats, figurehead of a woman painted white, and much wreckage in small bay. Opinion vessel very close to shore. Two spars visible, washing about. Found torn paper with name John Houston, apparently part of logbook; also large photograph of fifteen men, evidently captain, apprentices and some of crew. Everything possible being done to recover more bodies."

Captain Olson, of the British ship Brodick Castle, reported passing the Pass of Melfort near Cape Flattery during the gale. "It was the toughest bit of sailing I have ever done," he declared on arrival at Esquimalt with his battered vessel.

"The Pass of Melfort was evidently carried toward the Vancouver Island coast when making for the entrance to the Strait of Juan de Fuca, toward which high seas and strong currents were setting," he continued.

DROVE ON REEF

"Off Amphritrite Point, at the westerly entrance to Barkley Sound, there are many reefs, and the hapless bark must have driven on to the rocks with terrific force. Great rollers soon battered the wreck to pieces, and what efforts made by the unfortunate crew to reach shore will never be known.

"It was impossible that a man could have lived in the fury of the gale. No boat could have kept afloat in such a sea even if the sailors had one over when the bark was pounding to pieces. The men were torn from the wreck and engulfed," Captain Olson concluded.

The scene of the wreck was within one-quarter of a mile from the whistling buoy placed off Amphritrite Point by the Marine Department. The buoy disappeared shortly before Christmas, and was found by Ss. Quadra near Sheringham Point on December 28.

It was later learned the name of John Houston found on a bit of the logbook was that of a previous commander of the Pass of Melfort. The bodies of twenty-six members of the crew were interred at Ucluelet as villagers knelt and prayed for the rest of their souls. Indians told of seeing rockets fired on the night of the tragedy, but could not make out the vessel in the inky darkness.

MEN ON VESSEL

Members of the crew of the Pass of Melfort were Captain Harry Scougall; W. Baldwin, first mate; Hans Meyer, second mate; George Planders, third mate; L. B. Bruce, Charles Hayes, E. Crawford, J. W. Kern, J. H. Jopling, R. Stuart, John Dorsey, D. M. Culgan, Charles P. Swanson, F. Swenson, G. Abraham, John Kirchman, J. Liva, Thomas Kelley, Dan Rosette, A. Wagner, P. Busher, George Nelson, D. McInnis, W. Wormell, G. B. Hardwick, G. Phillips, John Seaton, D. G. Retrie, A. Grant, F. G. G. Richer, F. S. Townson, Elmer Weljohn, Joseph Bertschy, R. G. Sharpe and A. Klipberg.

Arriving at the spot where the Pass of Melfort met her doom, the B.C. Salvage Company's Ss. Salvor found little left of the bark. The stump of a mast and part of a royal yard were projecting out of the sea like a crude monument to the battered remains beneath the surface. The beach was strewn with wreckage that showed signs of terrific battering. After recovering two more bodies, the Salvor returned to Victoria on December 30.

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MOUNTAINEERS MAKE READY FOR ASSAULTS

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short, eyed spikes of tempered steel, which are driven into rock crevices on precipitous faces.

ALWAYS DIFFICULT

Waddington, climbers say, is difficult at any stage and from any direction, and keeps its worst terrors for the last 900 feet.

The mountain is about 175 air miles north of Vancouver and is approached from Knight Inlet, a bleak mountain - shadowed fiord. Supplies will be packed from the inlet head through dense forest to the thirty - mile Franklin Glacier. Crossing fifteen miles of the glacier this year's party will establish camp at Icefall Point at an altitude of 5,000 feet before starting the assault.

On a promontory far above the camp site is a cabin tipped by a pair of skis, where lies the body of Alec Dalgleish, twenty-seven-year-old Vancouver climber, near where he fell 800 feet from a 10,500 feet altitude in 1934.

GIGANTIC HOARFROST

Mr. and Mrs. Don Munday, Vancouver, in 1928 and 1934, climbed the northwest peak, about sixty feet lower than the unclimbed southeast twin summit. Photographs make it appear snow clad, but the Mundays say it is encased many feet thick in what might be called a gigantic form of hoarfrost.

Both Munday and Henry S. Hall, of Boston, who attempted the peak together, declared it could not be climbed by ordinary methods, but only, if at all, by driving spikes all the way up the final ascent.

Waddington is not of ordinary mountain rock formation. Apparently it was pushed up from the bowels of the earth in a long-ago geological era and is of a hard substance which does not weather in ordinary manner.

SERIES OF MISFORTUNES

Indians regard it with superstition, and, while there has been only the one known death on it, there have been a series of misfortunes to many who tried to climb it. It gets its name from Alfred Waddington, one of the first surveyors of British Columbia, thirteen of whose party were massacred by Indians in 1864.

In 1934, a British party, headed by Sir Norman Watson, skied from the eastern side of Waddington around its base and down the Franklin Glacier.

HEAVY TOURIST YEAR EXPECTED

Ray W. Clark, Head of Northwest Tourist Body, Has Optimistic View

SEATTLE, May 9. — Travelers from Ireland, from Honolulu, from England and nearly every country on the globe are discovering the Pacific Northwest this year for the first time—and falling in love with it! Which isn't a surprise to Ray W. Clark, genial president of the Pacific Northwest Tourist Association and manager of the New Washington Hotel, who, with other members of the organization, has spent the past year selling this part of the country to tourists.

Advance reservations at Paradise Inn and Sunrise Lodge, in Rainier National Park, are nearly three times as heavy as reported this early in May last season, according to figures turned in to Mr. Clark. The company already has received 5,000 reservations, which is only a small part of the number of tourists who are expected to visit the park this Summer. The same story is being unfolded at Glacier National Park, Montana, where a 50 per cent increase over last year is indicated, 7,000 persons having written in for-rooms to date. The park officials anticipate an attendance of more than 200,000 visitors before the season ends.

A WESTERN YEAR

"This promises to be truly a Western year for tourists," Mr. Clark declared. "The automobile clubs, the railroads, bus and air lines and steamship companies, all are making vast preparations to care for tourists. And all of this increased travel can be credited to the publicity campaign the member states of the Pacific Northwest Tourist Association have been conducting throughout the East, the South, the Middle West and every other section of the United States to encourage tourists to come to the Pacific Northwest States.

"Among our most active workers in the organization are Major Gordon Smith, of the Provincial Bureau of Information, and Mayor David Leeming, of Victoria."

AIRSHIP ENDS FLIGHT WITH RECORD MADE

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The crew also piped 700,000 cubic feet of hydrogen gas into the airship's lifting tanks, half the amount needed to replace that lost in the two and one-half day trip and in the "valving" at the landing. The rest will be added later.

A SMOOTH PASSAGE

Passengers, interviewed after they had cleared the customs and complied with other regulations, expressed satisfaction with the performance of the ship and termed the passage "smooth."

The earlier arrival of the Hindenburg—it was twenty minutes ahead of the time radioed in advance—caused some fears a mishap might occur in the closing minutes of its flight.

As soon as it was made fast to the mobile mooring mast, Dr. Eckener leaned out of the control cabin a broad smile on his face.

"Well, we're here," he was saying a few minutes later.

He and Captain Lehmann joined in calling it a "very, very successful trip."

The town cynic says that the evil that men do lives after them while the good is oft appropriated by the Treasury.

DEATH REMOVES MRS. I. A. GOULD

Pioneer Resident Was One Of the Founders of Aged Women's Home Here

Mrs. Lauretta Bernard Gould, aged eighty-two years, wife of Captain Isaac Archibald Gould, of 553 Simcoe Street, passed away yesterday at the Royal Jubilee Hospital. She was born in Prince Edward Island, and had been a resident of Victoria for the past forty-five years.

Mrs. Gould was an active member of First United Church, and was well known for her work in the interests of the Aged and Infirm Women's Home, being one of the founders of this institution.

She had a wide circle of friends in Victoria and other cities who will learn of her passing with regret.

Mrs. Gould is survived by her husband; three brothers, John and Johnson Bernard, of Prince Edward Island, and Robert L. Bernard, of San Francisco; two sisters, Mrs. M. A. Evans, of Vancouver, and Mrs. George McLeod, of Prince Edward Island; a nephew, Leighton Evans, of this city; a niece in New Westminster, and other nephews and nieces in Eastern Canada and the United States.

Funeral services will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at McCall Bros. Funeral Home, Rev. Dr. W. G. Wilson, pastor of First United Church, officiating. The place of interment will be announced later.

BREWERY IS FAVORED IN STRAW POLL

Of 198 Responses to Brewery Query in Esquimalt, 16 to 1 Favor Plan

COUN. F. G. EATON SAYS STAND ENDORSED

Of those who voted in the poll, a sixteen-to-one majority favored establishment of a brewery in Esquimalt, it was disclosed last night when Councillor Fred G. Eaton completed counting results of his "personal expense" straw ballot on the proposal.

Ballots totaling 650 were sent out, and of the 198 voting, 176 favored the brewery and eleven were against. Eleven ballots were declared "spoiled" since the numbers on them were removed, showed eight "for" and three "against."

In explaining why he had not sent out ballots to the 1,200 persons on the municipal voters' list, Councillor Eaton stated that he was concerned mainly with those residing in Esquimalt. He did not send ballots to taxpayers residing outside the municipality. Councillor Eaton said only portions of Section Two had been canvassed, the main poll being centred in the greater-populated Section One.

MANY LETTERS

Only municipal taxpayers, registered as such on the voters' list, were sent ballots. Although the response was small, Councillor Eaton said that a great number could not be canvassed because many addresses on the voters' list were incorrect. He had received a large number of letters and telephone calls from those who favored the measure, and many Government employees residing in Esquimalt refused to take part, Councillor Eaton stated.

Again, many refused to make returns because ballots were numbered, said the councillor. The numbers were used only to see that one return came from each taxpayer, he said.

ISSUES STATEMENT

In a statement issued after the result of the poll had been made known, Councillor Eaton said:

"An analysis of the letters sent to me revealed that the majority of the people were of the opinion that we should benefit from the manufacturing end seeing that we are overburdened at present with distribution facilities.

"The underlying idea seems to be that if we are to be denied the manufacturing end, then the majority will fall in with the minority feeling. The minority is in favor of removing the beer business from Esquimalt in its entirety.

"Although the ballot is small, I am satisfied that my stand has been endorsed. I do not intend to go out of my way to force this industry, but I shall bend every effort to stop the expression that the majority do not wish the industry.

"May I express my thanks to all those who responded to the ballot. For those who wish to see that the poll was conducted in a fair manner, the ballots will be open for inspection any evening this week to Thursday, and on Friday, as I stated before, all the ballots and papers connected with the poll will be destroyed."

Reeve Alexander Lockley declined to comment on the poll.

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David G. Hughes, Ex-Service Man, Died Yesterday

David Graham Hughes, 899 Esquimalt Road, a resident of Victoria for the last twelve years, died suddenly yesterday afternoon. He was born in Perth, Australia, and was fifty years of age. He came to Canada twenty-seven years ago.

The late Mr. Hughes was well known in the city and an active member of the Naval Veterans Branch of the Canadian Legion. During the Great War he served in Gallipoli with the 14th Australian Battalion.

Mr. Hughes is survived by his widow and one daughter, Millicent, at home; a stepson, Samuel Murray, in Scotland, and an uncle, Dr. F. C. Smith, London, England. The remains are at Sands Mortuary, Ltd., and funeral arrangements are to be announced later.

Contentment may be better than riches; but just try explaining it to your bank manager.

Heavy Rains Take Toll in Three States

DALLAS, Texas, May 9 (AP).—Tornadoes and torrential rains broke with a vengeance a threatening Spring drought in East Texas today, spreading into Northern Louisiana and Southern Arkansas.

At least seven persons were listed as dead as a direct result of weather disturbances. Creeks were bank-full, roads were washed out, and farm lands, in some sections, were seriously eroded by the rushing waters.

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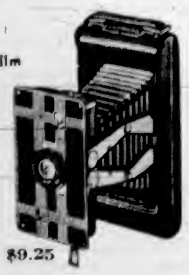

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WASHINGTON, May 9 (AP.)—With Congressional action virtually completed on a billion-dollar army and navy defence programme, fresh efforts were turned today toward securing authorization for an army air fleet of 4,000 planes.

The bill by Representative Rogers (D.-N.H.) authorizing an increase in the Army Air Corps strength from 1,800 to 4,000 planes already has been approved by the House.

Nazis Put on Impressive Display

In Honor of Herr Hitler's Forty-Seventh Birthday, a Grand Military Parade Was Held in the Tiergarten Before the Leader, Showing the Strength of Germany's New Army. In the Picture, Infantry Are Marching Past Hitler as He Stands on the Reviewing Stand.

AWARDED CUP FOR SOLOISTS

Miss Marjory Boothroyd Wins Coveted Trophy at Vancouver Festival

VANCOUVER, May 9 (C.P.)—The melee of melody was over tonight for scores of British Columbia songsters, and Marjory King Boothroyd, of Vancouver, who entered the lists with a rich voice and a pleasing aria, held the coveted Jackson-Hanby Cup for the best woman soloist at the Music Festival.

Miss Boothroyd, who sang Max Bruch's "Ave Maria," defeated nine other contestants to take the Victoria-donated trophy.

The largest audience of the current festival attended tonight as Adjudicators D. T. Yacamini, Arthur Cranmer and Harold Samuel judged the contestants and awarded ratings. The contests continue next week.

TOO AMBITIOUS

Joan Durbin, also of Vancouver, came second among the woman soloists. There were eight competitors in the preliminaries, all of whom came in for criticism from the adjudicators for being too ambitious in choosing florid Italian arias, which were beyond their powers. "There are plenty of excellent modern composers from whose works you could take suitable songs," they were told.

The award of the instrumental solo championship cup, given by the Primrose Lodge, Knights of Pythias, was awarded to Audry Cowderoy, Vancouver, who is the holder for the second year. Minnie Humphries, formerly of Nanaimo, was the contender.

BOYS' SOLO CLASS

In the boys' solo class, the winners, all Vancouverites, were Desmond McKillop, 170 marks, whose award was the Paisley Benn Cup; John Dykes Allan, 166 marks, and Arthur Trent, 166 marks. "We had two hours of the purest joy this afternoon in hearing over forty of the loveliest boy voices," said Mr. Cranmer awarding the trophy, "and these three have intensified that joy tonight."

DISCOVER WAY TO PRODUCE EXTRACT

Vanilla Can Be Prepared From Rayon Pulp Manufacture, Says Montreal Professor

Vanilla extract can now be produced as a by-product of rayon manufacture, and in quantities sufficient to meet the demand of all Canada. This discovery resulted from research carried on in the industrial and cellulose chemistry department at McGill University, Dr. Harold Hibbert, Montreal, head of the department, said yesterday at the Strathcona Hotel, during an interview.

Dr. Hibbert, one of the outstanding research chemists of this continent had the honorary degree of doctor of laws conferred upon him at a convocation of the University of British Columbia last Wednesday.

GOING TO SEATTLE

From here Dr. Hibbert, accompanied by Mrs. Hibbert, will go to Seattle to speak before a joint meeting of the Chemical Society of the University of Washington and the Technical Association of the American Pulp and Paper Industry.

Dr. Hibbert expressed himself enthusiastically regarding British Columbia students in industrial chemistry.

"I have had a very large number of University of British Columbia students come to me for post-graduate work, and I regard them as some of the best-trained students in Canada," he stated. "The chemistry department at the University of British Columbia is exceptionally well equipped and is turning out very high-grade research workers, under the general direction of Dr. Robert Clark and his colleagues."

WELL DIGGERS RESCUED

WAYLAND, Mass., May 9 (AP.)—Rescue workers, spurred on by prayers and tears, pulled two men late today from the bottom of a twenty-foot newly dug well where they had been trapped by a cave-in.

City and District

Monthly Meeting—Saanich Liberal Association is holding the monthly meeting in headquarters, Douglas Street, tomorrow at 8 pm.

Esquimalt Building—A permit has been taken out by G. M. Newell for the erection of a home of four rooms at 445 Dockyard Road in Esquimalt at a cost of $1,500.

Ward Two Executive—Ward Two Executive, Victoria Liberal Association, will meet Tuesday, at 8 p.m., in Liberal headquarters. All members are requested to attend.

Will Build Home—In Saanich a permit has been issued for the construction of a four-roomed house for P. Bugslag on Donald Street. The dwelling will cost $1,400.

Library Board—The newly created board of management of the Vancouver Island Union Library District was scheduled to meet at Nanaimo yesterday evening, in an inaugural session.

Visiting City—After visiting Western branches, G. A. Morris, Montreal, general manager of Ogilvie Flour Mills Company, arrived at the Empress Hotel yesterday for a few days' rest. He was accompanied by Mrs. Morris.

Railway Executives—E. J. H. Lemon and W. V. Wood, London, executives of the London, Midland & Scottish Railway, are expected to arrive at the Empress Hotel, today. They are paying a visit to every important centre in Canada.

Soil Survey Planned—The British Columbia Department of Agriculture will carry out a soil survey in the Fraser Valley this year, Hon. K. C. MacDonald announced on his return from Vancouver yesterday.

Building Trade—A meeting of all men working in the building trade has been called for tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the Trades and Labor Hall, to discuss matters of importance. This meeting will be open to union and non-union men.

To Meet Wednesday—Ward Four Liberals will hold their general monthly meeting on Wednesday at 8 p.m. at Liberal headquarters, Broughton and Government Streets. Members will be asked to approve or reject subsequent amendments to the ward constitution.

Ward One Liberals—The regular meeting of Ward One Liberals will be held in the Liberal rooms tomorrow at 8 p.m. The ward executive will meet after the meeting. Members are especially asked to attend if possible, as an important subject will be up for discussion.

Theatre Renovated—Considerable renovation has been carried out to the interior of the Empire Theatre in preparation for the Lee Jaxon Players, who will commence their season here tomorrow. Rev. Dr. Clem Davies' Sunday morning and evening services will be held in the theatre today as usual.

Convention Delegates—Saanich Conservatives are to arrange for delegates to the Provincial convention at their next meeting, to be held in the Campbell Building on May 12. The committee appointed to interview several prominent Conservatives will make its report at this meeting. All Saanich Conservatives are invited to attend.

Situation Unchanged—No change was reported in the lumber strike yesterday, according to Provincial records. In excess of 90 per cent of the industry is still working. The day passed without incident at various camps, with some 1,500 men reported out on strike for recognition of a new union born south of the international border.

Expected Monday—On a tour of the company's Western hotels, Thomas E. Chester, of Winnipeg, assistant-general manager of the Canadian Pacific Hotels, is expected to visit Victoria tomorrow. This will be Mr. Chester's first trip to this city since he was appointed to his present post in succession to A. E. Robertson, resigned. Up to the time of his appointment, Mr. Chester was manager of the Hotel Vancouver, at Vancouver.

Douglas Social Credit—At the request of many people in Victoria, a public meeting dealing with Douglas Social Credit will be held in the Memorial Hall on Tuesday, at 8 p.m. This meeting will be addressed by Mrs. Brooks, who is a convincing and able exponent of the Douglas proposals, and ladies are cordially invited to attend. The meeting is entirely non-political.

Large Moth—A large moth with a wingspread of nearly four inches flew into the home of A. J. Syrett, Sooke River Road, yesterday and was caught by one of his sons. The moth has a brown body covered with fur, large grey antennae and wings of various shades of white, brown and grey. It is on display in The Colonist window and will be presented to the Provincial Museum.

Premier Expected—Premier Pattullo is expected back in this city today or tomorrow, by air from Ottawa and New York, via Seattle. Members of the Cabinet who went to the Mainland earlier in the week hurried back yesterday to be on hand to receive him. No announcement was made as to the Ottawa negotiations, and none is expected until the Premier has reported to his Cabinet here early this week.

Sunday Forum—Ernest Bakewell, M.P.P. for Mackenzie riding, will be the speaker tonight at the Sunday Forum, 724 Fort Street, at 7:30. Mr. Bakewell, having held a responsible position with one of the largest pulpwood concerns in the Northwest, has made a detailed study of the forest industry. Besides this industry, Mr. Bakewell has kept, in close contact with the fishing industry.

Receives Degree—Lloyd W. Bassett, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Bassett, Shakespeare Street, will receive his M.D. degree this week at the University of Alberta, Edmonton. This will mark the end of six years' study by Mr. Bassett, during which time he won three scholarships. Mr. Bassett was educated at Boys' Central and Victoria High Schools and Victoria College. Following his return to Victoria after the convocation ceremonies this week, he will join the staff of the Royal Jubilee Hospital as an interne.

Final Lecture—The planet Saturn, with its unique ring system and large family of satellites, will be the subject of an address by Gordon Shaw, local secretary of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada, to be given before that group on Tuesday next at 8 p.m. in the Y.W.C.A. parlors. Coincident with the lecture, there will be displayed for the first time an excellent scale model of the planet, with its rings, made by H. Boyd Brydon, honorary president of the society. This will be the final lecture of the Spring session, and the public is invited to attend.

Tag Day Results—Victoria citizens contributed generously to yesterday's tag day appeal of St. Joseph's Hospital, which was under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary, and Sister Superior announced last night that approximately $750 had been collected. Mrs. Frank J. Sehl, president of the auxiliary, was general convener. Mrs. A. McDermott was extremely active in organizing for the tag day. Nurses, members of the auxiliary and junior auxiliary and hospital staff aided in the tagging, while the C. & C. Taxi Company provided a bus to convey the nurses between the hospital and their corners. Mrs. McDermott, Mrs. Walter Fraser, Mrs. Edward McQuade and Douglas Hunt also helped in conveying taggers. Sister Superior, on behalf of the hospital, thanks all who responded to the appeal.

PLAYWRIGHT IS HERE ON VISIT

Gene Town, Writer of Hollywood Productions, Motors to Victoria for Holiday

One of Hollywood's noted playwrights, Gene Town, is spending a short holiday in the city with Mrs. Town. They arrived here yesterday in their automobile and registered at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. Town expressed himself as delighted with Victoria, after he and his wife had driven around the city. He intimated to newspapermen, last night, he might write Victoria into a future motion picture story.

In the eleven years he has written and produced motion pictures, Mr. Town has been associated with 107 productions. At present he is under contract to Walter Wanger, for Paramount Pictures, but in the past has served many Hollywood studios.

Among the latest pictures produced from his writings were: "History Is Made at Midnight," featuring Charles Boyer and which has just been released; "Three Times Loser," with Sylvia Sidney, another newly-filmed production; "The Case Against Mrs. Ames," with Madeleine Carroll and George Brent; "She Couldn't Take It," with George Raft and Joan Bennett; "Shanghai," with Charles Boyer and Loretta Young; "Every Night at 8," with George Raft and Alice Faye, and "Mary Burns, Fugitive," with Sylvia Sidney.

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Winnipeg Honors Hollick-Kenyon and L. H. Lymburner at Reception

WINNIPEG, May 9 (C.P.)—Herbert Hollick-Kenyon and L. H. Lymburner, who returned Friday from months of air exploration over Little America, in Antarctica, were accorded a triumph here today, the equal of which few native sons could recall.

In the presence of cheering thousands that packed main thoroughfares leading between the City Hall and the Legislative Buildings, the hero of a flight across 2,000 miles of South Polar wasteland and his co-pilot received the homage of a proud city and province.

GALA APPEARANCE

Streets took on a gala appearance for the occasion. Flags fluttered from buildings and sirens screamed as the famous members of Lincoln Ellsworth's expedition rode the heroes' route to the City Hall for an official reception.

Waving hteir derbies in response to the volleys of cheering, the two airmen were escorted to the Provincial Government Buildings, where they were welcomed by Hon. W. J. Tupper, Lieutenant-Governor, on behalf of the Province.

RECEIVE ADDRESSES

His Honor presented the flyers with an illumniated address and congratulated them on their splendid achievements. He told Hollick-Kenyon his epic flight to span Antarctica's uncharted breadth that resulted in grounding of the plane, Polar Star, and seven weeks' isolation before being rescued, would live long in Canada's aviation book.

PAY UP STILL THE FAVORITE

Lord Astor's Colt Remains First Choice to Capture The Derby

LONDON, May 9 (C.P.)—Lord Astor's colt Pay Up ruled favorite tonight for the Derby, to be run at Epsom Downs, May 27.

Pay Up, victor in the Two Thousand Guineas, was quoted at 8 to 1 in the late callover. Other odds included 17 to 2 for the Agha Khan's Taj Akbar, 9 to 1 for Lord Astor's Rhodes Scholar, 100 to 9 for Sir Alfred Butt's Noble King, 100 to 6 for the Aga Khan's Bala Hissar.

Eighteen to 1 for the Aga Khan's Mahmoud, 25 to 1 for Marcel Boussac's Abjer, 28 to 1 for the Duke of Marlborough's Manument and S. D. Hollingsworth's Raeburn, 33 to 1 for Sir George Bullough's Daytona and Major J. S. Courtauld's Walvis Bay, and 40 to 1 for Mrs. J. Shand's Thankerton, Lord Carnarvon's His Grace, Lord Derby's St. Magnus and Mrs. Gordon Smith's Fearless Fox.

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Cuban Officer Is Wounded by Bomb

CIENFUEGOS, Cuba, May 9 (AP.)—Naval Major Carmelo Gonzalez, commandant of the southern naval district, was gravely wounded today when a bomb exploded in his office.

Major Gonzalez long has been hated by Radicals who blamed him for the death, a year ago yesterday, of Antonio Guiteras, Radical leader, slain near Matanzas in a battle with soldiers.

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Empress Hotel Supper Dance Great Attraction

Birthday and wedding celebrations added interest to the weekly supper dance at the Empress Hotel last evening, Mr. and Mrs. John Riddell celebrating the eighth anniversary of their marriage and Mr. J. Douglas and Mr. E. Watchorn celebrating birthdays.

Miss Torie Rennie had arranged a party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Douglas (nee Fry) of Edmonton, who are here on their honeymoon, and in this group were Misses Jean Brown, Ruby Bethell, Mary Wilson, Torie and Gladys Rennie and Messrs. Lynn Patrick, Jack Woodley, Alan LeMarquand, Walter Stipe and Ronald Morley.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Watchorn, Miss Doreen Wilson, Miss Nan Eve, Miss Peggy Pidcock, Miss Audrey Barnett, Miss Lorraine Pendray, Dr. John Mercer, Messrs. Maunsell Jones, David Thompson, James Douglas, Grant Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Rayment, Mr. and Mrs. L. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Woodley, Mr. and Mrs. C. Muston, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Macpherson, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Francis, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Estlin, Mr. and Mrs. George Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Mackintosh, Mr. and Mrs. John Riddell, Miss Catherine Alexander, Miss Marjory Ferris, Miss M. McLennan (Seattle), Miss S. E. Craig, Mrs. A. Penella, Colonel and Mrs. J. R. Kingham, Mr. K. McLennan, Mr. Stewart Carson, Mr. Jimmy White, Miss M. Walker, Mr. S. Courtney, Miss Adine Oland, Miss Helen Baird, Mr. Sandy Hunter, Mr. Dennis Harris, Misses Mary Smith, Dorothy Basanta, "Pat" MacDonald, Winnie Cotton.

Messrs. Gordon Bradley, C. Sutton, L. Paterson, Bob Sheret, Peter Saxton White, Ross Ferguson, David Angus, Miss Mary Lindgren, Miss Thelma Ackerman, Miss Girlie Mercer, Miss Ethel Bale, Miss Margaret Vantreight, Miss Mae Warnock, Miss Phyllis Deaville, Mr. Jack Townsend, Mr. Stanley Wickett, Mr. Maurice Pickering, Mr. and Mrs. "Bob" Schwengers, Miss Kathleen Wilson, Miss Norah Wilson, Miss Gwen Spencer and Mr. E. Savannah.

U.B.C. Graduates Arrange Dinner

A meeting of graduates of various years from the University of British Columbia was held on Friday evening at the home of Dr. Allon Peebles. Tentative plans were made for the celebration of the twenty-first birthday of the university in honor of which so many functions have recently been held in Vancouver and other centres. The local group proposes to hold a dinner in the Empress Hotel on the evening of Wednesday, May 20.

Authors' Club Meeting

The Victoria and Islands Branch of the Canadian Authors' Association will meet in the Women's Institute rooms, Fort Street, on Thursday, at 8 p.m. Mrs. J. O. Cameron will be the principal speaker and will deal with some literary aspects of her recent sojourn in Europe.

Miss Dorothy Crighton will give a craft talk and a musical programme arranged by Miss Audrey Wood will include songs by Miss Josephine Charlebois, with Miss Barfoot as accompanist. Visiting members of the Canadian Authors' Association and interested friends will be welcome.

Senior Naval Officer's Wife and Daughter

MRS. C. T. BEARD

MISS PAMELA BEARD

—Photographs by Robert Port.

Their Victoria friends are extending a warm welcome to Commander and Mrs. C. T. Beard, who, with their son and two daughters, arrived from Ottawa a few days ago, Commander Beard having been appointed Senior Naval Officer at the Royal Canadian Barracks, Esquimalt, succeeding Commander G. C. Jones. The above photographs show Mrs. Beard and her elder daughter, Pamela. The family will take up residence at the Naval Barracks on Wednesday.

Clubs and Societies

Malahat W.A.

The regular meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Malahat branch of the Canadian Legion was held in the S.L.A.A. Hall, with a good attendance of members. Visitors to the branch were Mrs. W. H. Booth, provincial president, Mrs. R. Campbell, provincial secretary, and Mrs. Burnett, president of the W. A. to the Tuberculous Veterans' Association. The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. G. Orr, who then turned the chair over to Mrs. Booth. The provincial president gave an interesting talk on the recent convention in Vancouver. W.A. aims and objects, and the work of other auxiliaries. Mrs. Campbell also addressed the meeting. Members of the Legion then joined the W.A. for refreshments and a social hour, when Mrs. Booth, on behalf of the auxiliary, presented a silver cup for Caroline Dyson, the newest W.A. baby. In the absence of Mrs. Dyson, Mr. Dyson received the cup with a few words. A. J. Duggan, president of the Legion, also addressed the meeting. Routine W.A. business, which was waived for the evening, will be attended to at a special meeting in the Guide Hall on Tuesday. The June meeting of the branch will be held at Bamberton.

Women of the Moose

Mrs. C. Drysdale was hostess at her home, 2522 Victor Street, on Thursday evening, at a "sewing bee," held under the auspices of the Women of the Moose, Victoria Chapter No. 25. It is expected to have a patchwork quilt finished by next month and a pretty design is being worked out. Mrs. H. Parker gave interesting details of the Home Cooking School, sponsored by The Daily Colonist. A sit-down supper was served by the hostess. Those present were Mesdames C. Drysdale, M. Pearce, M. Morry, P. Huckin, H. Parker, R. Panting, M. Crabtree, M. Carter, Misses M. Panting, M. Drysdale and D. Guelpa. The next sewing "bee" will be held on Monday evening, May 18, at the home of Miss D. Guelpa, 2540 Fernwood Road. The chapter will hold its business meeting tomorrow at 8 p.m. in the K. of P. Hall, 1415 Broad Street. Nomination of officers will take place, instead of on May 25. Members will bring refreshments.

Qualicum Beach Guild

The monthly meeting of St. Mark's Guild, Qualicum Beach, was held at the home of Mrs. W. H. Davies, the Crescent. The president, Miss H. Jarvis, was in the chair. The usual business was completed and some correspondence read, also the financial statement given of the daffodil tea held recently. It was decided to have a tea in the Community Hall on July 9, with home cooking and candy stall, also games and other amusements. After the business was completed, Rev. G. A. Bagshaw and Mrs. Bagshaw attended and the vicar read part of the circular issued on the "Forward Movement" and explained its object. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. C. Davidson on June 3. The meeting adjourned and tea was served by Mrs. Davies.

St. Mark's W.A.

An evening entertainment will be held under the auspices of the W.A. of St. Mark's Church on Wednesday at 8.15 o'clock, in the parish hall, for the purpose of helping to raise funds for the rebuilding of the hospital at Aklavik, in the West Arctic, which was recently burned down. Mrs. F. J. Brimer, Dominion Dorcas secretary, will show lantern slides of the Arctic, and a musical programme has been arranged under the capable management of Mrs. Parmiter. A collection will be taken. Friends are urgently asked to give generously so that the hospital may be built as soon as possible.

Daughters of St. George

The social meeting of Princess Patricia Lodge No. 238, Daughters of St. George, will be held on Friday in the K. of C. Hall at 7.30 p.m. It will be conducted by the past presidents. At 8.45 p.m. a concert will be held in which children of members will take part. There will also be a home cooking stall and house-house will be played. Members and friends are cordially invited to attend. Refreshments will be served.

Columbia Board W.A.

The monthly meeting of the Diocesan Board of Columbia W.A. will be held in the Parish Hall of St. Columba, Strawberry Vale, on Friday at 11 a.m. At the afternoon session, the board will hear the story of the Aklavik disaster from the Dominion Dorcas secretary, Mrs. F. J. Brimer. The bus will leave the Broughton Street bus depot at 10.15 a.m., returning to the city at 4 p.m.

Women's Canadian Club

The nominating committee of the Women's Canadian Club announces that nominations are in order for officers and members of the executive for the ensuing year. Nominations may be made by any member in good standing by telephoning Mrs. W. G. Wilson, Garden 3139; Miss Margaret Clay, Garden 5982; or Mrs. P. B. Scurrah, Empire 0847. Nominations may also be made from the floor of the meeting to be held on May 19.

Lodge Primrose

Daughters of England Lodge Primrose No. 32, held its business meeting on Friday in the Sons of England Hall, the worthy president, Mrs. F. Chappell, in the chair. The district deputy, Mrs. J. Baron, and Mrs. Allen, the worthy president of Princess Alexandra Lodge, had seats on the platform. Good reports of the rummage sale and dance were given by the conveners. Drill practice will be held on Tuesday at 2 p.m., in the Sons of England Hall.

Silver Tea

A silver tea will be held at the home of Mrs. George Ford, 2596 Dalhousie Street, on Thursday afternoon from 3 to 5:30 o'clock, under the auspices of Miriam Temple No. 2, Daughters of the Nile. A musical programme will be given and there will be teacup reading and a contest. Mrs. M. Hemmingsen, the Queen, will receive the guests.

University Women's Club

The University Women's Club will hold the annual dinner on Friday, May 15, at the Empress Hotel, at 7.15 p.m.

Alexandra Lodge

Princess Alexandra Lodge, Daughters of England, held its meeting in the S.O.E. Hall recently with Mrs. Allen presiding. After the business, house-house was played and refreshments served by the committee, with Mrs. Cavett as convener. A drill practice will be held on Tuesday, May 19, at 2.15 p.m. in the hall. The next meeting will be held on May 22.

Hollywood L.A.

The Hollywood L.A. will hold a tea and sale of home cooking at the home of Mrs. A. S. Denny, 1863 Crescent Road, from 3 to 5 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon in aid of the Sunday school picnic fund. A programme will be given by the following artists: Mrs. McLellan, Mrs. Carver and Miss Dukes and her pupils, and Miss Marian Ingles. Miss Mugford and Miss D. Turner.

Garden City W.A.

Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. Hoy were hostesses at a guest tea which was held at the home of Mrs. Armstrong, Gladiola Avenue, in aid of the W.A. of Garden City United Church. The invited guests included Mesdames W. H. Nix, A. P. Fryatt, J. Jones, Hardy, F. Thomas, Millard, Fellow, Shelly, Richdale, J. Hobden, Powell, Cudby, Denman and Hill.

Silver Tea

A silver tea will be given by Mrs. William Heatherbell, 903 Linden Avenue, on Wednesday, May 20. All donations of money received at this tea will be used for the restoration of the organ at St. Barnabas' Church, which is in urgent need of repair. A special invitation is extended to all friends of the church.

Britannia Lodge

Britannia Lodge No. 216, L.O.B.A., held its meeting in the Orange Hall recently with Mrs. E. Burke in the chair, assisted by Mrs. M. Patterson. A card party was enjoyed after the meeting and refreshments were served. There will be a sewing bee at the home of Mrs. Leask, 216 Mary Street, on Tuesday at 2 p.m.

St. Joseph's Auxiliary

St. Joseph's Hospital W.A. met on Friday at the hospital, the president, Mrs. F. J. Sehl, in the chair. Mrs. F. T. Porter, the sewing convener, reported 247 pieces of work completed and 1472 sponges made. Nominations were received for officers, who will be elected at the annual meeting on June 26 at the Nurses' Home.

Qualicum Beach L.A.

The regular monthly meeting of the Qualicum Beach United Church Ladies' Aid was held at the home of Mrs. A. P. Smith on Thursday afternoon. The June meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. N. Gibson, and will be the last for the Summer.

Vernon Villa W.A.

The Auxiliary of Vernon Villa will meet at 3 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon for the May meeting and to discuss the progress of the series of telephone bridge parties now being held by various friends in aid of Vernon Villa.

Witty Kitty

By NINA WILCOX PUTNAM

The girl chum says that black dress she bought last week which was supposed to wear like iron is beginning to look rusty already.

Klo-Ora Club

The Klo-Ora Club held its meeting recently at the home of Miss Dulcie Chatton, 1612 Fell Street. The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Alice Kershaw, 3016 Harriet Road, on Monday, May 18.

C.C.F. W.A.

The C.C.F. Women's Auxiliary will hold the regular meeting on Tuesday at 2.30 p.m. at 724 Fort Street. Mrs. Gertrude Rodgers will review, "Women and the Changing Civilization," by Winnifred Holtby.

Court Maple Leaf

Court Maple Leaf, A.O.F., will hold its regular meeting tomorrow at 8 p.m. Housie-housie will be played after the meeting and refreshments served. Members are asked to bring cakes.

Typographical W.A.

Under the auspices of Woman's Auxiliary No. 65, to the local Typographical Union No. 201, a bridge tea will be held in the Orange Hall, Courtney Street, on Tuesday at 2.15 p.m.

Seamen's Institute

Victoria Connaught Seamen's Institute will hold the May meeting in the Institute rooms, Superior Street, at 2.45 o'clock on Thursday afternoon.

Horticultural Society W.A.

The monthly meeting of the W.A. to the Victoria Horticultural Society will be held tomorrow afternoon in the Institute rooms, 635 1-2 Fort Street, at 3 o'clock.

Junior Catholic League

The monthly business meeting of the Junior Catholic Women's League will be held at the home of Miss Mona Doyle, 49 Erie Street, on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Fairfield W.A.

The Fairfield United Church Women's Association will hold a superfluity sale on Wednesday at 10 a.m., at 587 Johnson Street, next door to Shotbolt's Drug Store.

King's Daughters

The Ready-to-Help Circle of the King's Daughters will meet at the rooms tomorrow at 3 p.m.

St. Mary's W.A.

The senior branch of St. Mary's W.A. will hold its monthly meeting on Thursday at 2.30 p.m. in the Parish Hall.

I.O.D.E. Activities

Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter

The monthly meeting of the Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter will be held at the home of Mrs. W. Ellis, Seacroft Apartments, Beach Drive, on Tuesday at 8 p.m.

Resolution Chapter

The monthly meeting of H.M.S. Resolution Chapter will be held on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. R. D. Travis, 925 Oliver Street. As final arrangements for the bridge-tea to be held at the home of Mrs. C. H. O'Halloran, 999 Beach Drive, on Wednesday afternoon, will be completed at the meeting, a full attendance of members is requested.

Nightingale Chapter

The Florence Nightingale Chapter will celebrate Florence Nightingale's birthday on Tuesday by holding a bridge party both afternoon and evening in the Nurses' Home of the Jubilee Hospital. Mrs. F. Gibbs, 1192 Yates Street, and Mrs. R. Standerwick, 1531 Elford Street, are joint conveners, with whom reservations may be made. The proceeds are for the chapter's work in connection with the T.B. pavilion of Jubilee Hospital.

M. R. Robertson Chapter

A special meeting of the Margaret Rocke Robertson Chapter will be held tomorrow at 8 p.m. at headquarters and all members are asked to attend.

Sir M. B. Begbie Chapter

The Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie Chapter will meet at headquarters on Friday at 2.30 p.m.

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Mary's Day Celebrated At Convent

As the first celebration in Victoria of the National "Mary's Day" chosen by the Canadian Federation of Catholic Convent Alumnae, of which Mrs. Harry P. Roesleer, of Toronto, is president, a delightful reunion of former convent pupils was held at St. Ann's Convent yesterday morning.

Members of the Alumnae of St. Ann's and representatives of eight different teaching orders in various parts of the world assembled at 7:30 o'clock to attend the Mass celebrated by Rt. Rev. John H. MacDonald in the convent chapel.

Received by Sister Superior Sister Mary Theodore, federation sister; Miss Helen Redgrave, governor of the British Columbia chapter of the alumae; Miss Mae Murray, president of St. Ann's Alumnae; Miss Geraldine Murray and Miss Veronica Neary, the alumnae was conducted to the chapel. Miss Kathleen Nesbitt and Miss Louise Michaux acted as ushers.

TENDERS CONGRATULATIONS

The bishop congratulated them on their achievements in the cause of Christianity and of education, and spoke of the great gifts which had been theirs in their early training and reminded them that while much had been given, much must be returned. The bishop encouraged the alumnae to go forward and work for the happiness and well-being of all, especially those who in any way might be less fortunate.

Following the service, breakfast was served in the pupils' dining-room, which had been beautifully decorated in blue and white by Miss Helen Tulk. Place cards bore the titles from the Litany of Loretto with which each guest responded to the roll call read by Miss Neary. On behalf of those present, Mrs. Ebbs-Canavan thanked Sister Superior and the Sisters for their delightful hospitality.

THOSE PRESENT

Among those present were Mrs. W. McManus, Mrs. M. O'Leary, Miss Mae Murray, Miss N. Redgrave, Mrs. F. J. Sehl, Mrs. P. H. Harris, Mrs. W. Munsie, Miss G. Murray, Miss B. Ebbs-Canavan, Mrs. Malcolm Smythe, Mrs. K. T. Hughes, Miss Ethel Bale, Mrs. G. Roberts, Mrs. C. Rivers, Mrs. H. A. Goward, Miss Rhoda Goward, Mrs. Gordon B. Paterson, Mrs. Gordon Evans, Mrs. H. Nesbitt, Mrs. L. A. Colbert, Miss Bernadette Colbert, Miss Louise Michaux, Miss Dagmar Bendrodt, Miss Margaret Brandson, Mrs. E. A. Harrison, Mrs. S. Hynes, Mrs. Hurst, Miss K. Nesbitt, Miss Eileen Regan, Miss A. Grant, Miss Nellie Cannon, Miss Wanda Spencer, Miss Doris Bevan-Allen.

Miss Eileen O'Neill, Miss Ella Monk, Miss Mary Comerford, Miss A. Nesbitt, Miss R. Trudel, Miss K. Morry, Mrs. F. J. Doherty, Miss P. MacDonald, Miss V. Babbington, Miss Mary Morry, Miss C. Roberts, Miss Margaret Horne, Miss Marie McDonagh, Miss Lorraine Hurst, Mrs. H. O'Leary, Miss Helen Tulk, Miss A. Bantley, Miss P. McLernon and A. Lineham, all of St. Ann's Convent, Victoria.

Mrs. Ebbs-Canavan and Miss M. H. Clark, of the Sacred Heart Convent, Kenwood, Albany, N.Y.; Mrs. Blair Reid, of the Sisters of St. Joseph, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Mrs. E. McQuade and Mrs. J. Morkin, of Loretto Abbey, Toronto; Mrs. T. B. Monk, Mrs. F. W. Gill and Miss Mona Kelpin, of St. Mary's Academy, Winnipeg; Mrs. G. W. La Croix and Miss Norah Kelpin, of the Sisters of St. Joseph, St. Boniface, Man.; Mrs. M. Black, of St Bridget's Abbey, Antrim, Ireland; Miss J. Murray, of the Sisters of Notre Dame, Mount Pleasant, Liverpool, England; Miss Gertrude Cramer, of Aquinas Academy, Tacoma; Miss Katherine Gigot, of the Sisters of St. Ann, Lachine, Quebec, and Mrs. Esmond Dinsdale, of the Sacred Heart Convent, Tokio, Japan.

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One hundred and fifty persons attended the second annual banquet and dance given on Thursday evening by the St. John's (Duncan) branch of the A.Y.P.A. in the K. of P. Hall, Duncan. Gerald Prevost, president of the A.Y.P.A., occupied the chair. Rev. E. O. Robathan, chaplain of the Mid-Island Council, was guest speaker. Rev. A Bischlager, St. John's patron, said grace. Toasts were given as follows: "The King," the chairman; "The Church," Miss Annie Arthur, responded to by Rev. H. F. Napier; "The A.Y.P.A.," Rev. A. Bischlager, responded to by E. W. Neel. Misses Marjorie Langlois and Doris Powell gave intermission numbers on their guitars. Mr. Robathan, the guest speaker, gave a splendid address on "Youth and Its Problems." The chairman closed with a few remarks. Dancing was enjoyed until 2 a.m., with intermission numbers by five of Miss Carr-Hilton's dancing pupils, Thelma Churchill, Phyllis Bosse, Gwennie Cox, George Parlee and Billie Best. The committee in charge comprised Misses Florence Lemon and Jo Fox, Messrs. Jack Dobson and James Page, and members of the local branch of the A.Y.P.A.

ST. MARK'S

St. Mark's A.Y.P.A. will hold a dance on Wednesday, May 20, at 8:30 p.m. There will be a three-piece orchestra, and refreshments will be served. The committee is trying to make this dance the best of the season.

ST. MICHAEL'S

A theme song concert with amateur entertainers was held recently in St. Michael's Parish Hall, under the auspices of the A.Y.P.A. The winners of the junior amateur contest were Bill Whitehead and Walter Burgess, while the senior winner was Miss Helen Arnott. The winners of the theme song contest were Mrs. W. J. Quick, Miss Grace Scott and Jerome Armitage. Miss Lillian Grant gave a solo on the pipes, and Lyndsay Towler showed moving pictures. Those taking part in the programme were Beverly Quick, Helen Phillips, Dorothy Duckett, Joan Peet, Pamela Butcher, Helen Burgess, Arthur Jones, Bill Whitehead, Walter Burgess, Miss Lillian Grant, Miss Phyllis Towler, Miss Madge Hersey, Miss Helen Arnott, Lyndsay Towler, Frank York, Herbert Oldfield, "Pat" Hook, Ted Whitehead and Bert Bridgeman. Miss Eileen Petit was in charge of the door.

Lord Feversham Married in York

YORK, England, May 9 (CP).—Hon. Charles William Slingsbury Duncombe, Earl of Feversham, and Hon. Anne Wood, daughter of Viscount Halifax, the Lord Privy Seal, were married in York Minster today.

Nineteen attendants, including ten small pages, formed the retinue of the bride. Master Nicholas Eden, son of Anthony Eden, Foreign Secretary, was one of the pages.

Wedding presents from members of the Royal Family included a pair of blue enamel cufflinks studded with diamonds sent by Queen Mary to the bridegroom.

Engagement Is Announced

—Photograph by Gibson.

MISS DOROTHY E. VARNHAM

Mrs. Dorothy Lawrence, of this city, announces the engagement of her only daughter, Dorothy Ellen Varnham, to Mr. Ernest Alfred Prentis, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Prentis, of Lake Hill. The wedding will take place quietly at St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, on the evening of June 1, at 8 o'clock.

Social and Personal

Entertain Mothers

The mothers of members of the Alpha Delta Omega Sorority were guests at a delightfully arranged tea held at the home of Mrs. J. O. Cameron yesterday afternoon. Lovely blooms of lilac and red tulips were arranged in the reception room, where Mrs. Cameron and Miss Louise Patterson, the president, received the guests. The tea table was particularly attractive, centred with a bowl of yellow tulips and flower lights in pastel shades flanked by silver candelabra with green lighted candles, the colors of the sorority. Pouring tea and coffee was Mrs. P. B. Scurrah. Just before tea was served, Miss Gwendolyn Harper entertained the guests with a group of pianoforte selections, "Airs With Varieties," by Handel; "The Chase" (Paganini-Liszt), and "Impromptu in F Sharp," by Chopin. Those present were Mesdames P. B. Scurrah, R. B. Mosher, J. S. Patterson, S. Baxandall, J. H. McConnell, M. M. Groos, J. M. McHutcheon, V. Cruickshank, L. C. Lytton, M. Hemlingsen, D. N. McIntyre, W. H. Routledge, W. Trotter, G. F. Carey, A. G. Holden, R. Grant, H. A. Leigh, Misses Dorothy Baxandall, Mildred Baxandall, Gwen Harper, Mollie Richards, Barbara Leigh, Louise Ormond, Olivine Ormond, Gertrude Haughton, Frances Madeley, Isabel Routledge, Eleanor Trotter, Lex Cruickshank, Kay McIntyre, Margaret Hemmingston, Eve Lytton, Pat Holden, Clay Grant, Renee McHutcheon, Louise Patterson, Jeanne Groos, Enid McConnell and Miriam Biggin.

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Farewell Parties

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Foss, who will leave shortly to make their home at Morton, Wash., were the guests of honor at a farewell surprise party on Friday evening. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. H. Kiddell, Mr. and Mrs. F. Freer, Mr. and Mrs. F. Noel, Mr. and Mrs. D. Cook, Mrs. E. Clarke, Misses Edith Whyte, May Ball, and Messrs. Sandy Noel, Gordon Harris and Carl Noel. Court whist was played, the prizes being won by Mrs. L. Foss, Mr. F. Freer, Miss May Ball and Mr. H. Kiddell. On Thursday evening a farewell shower was held for Mrs. Foss at the home of Mrs. D. Cook. The gifts were presented in a traveling bag decorated in a color scheme of mauve and yellow. The guests were Mesdames E. Clarke, F. Kiddell, G. Linn, W. Alexander, H. Smith, R. McDowell, F. Forrester, W. Jenkins, L. Jarvis, F. Freer, R. Dunnett, and Misses E. Whyte, A. Warburton, M. Ball, G. Smith, J. Burgess. An Aero-Pack traveling suitcase was also presented by the staff of the department in which Mrs. Foss was employed.

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Post-Nuptial Reception

Mrs. "Bob" Schwengers received for the first time since her marriage, yesterday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Crawford, Craigdarroch Road, when a large number of friends called. The reception rooms were fragrant with Spring flowers. Assisting Mrs. Schwengers and Mrs. Crawford in receiving the visitors were Mrs. B. P. Schwengers and Miss Dorothy Allan. Mrs. H. H. Hare, Mrs. D. W. Graham, Mrs. E. N. Horsey and Mrs. J. R. Nicolson poured the tea and coffee from a table charmingly arranged with pink flowers, interspersed with tall lighted pink tapers in silver candelabra. Serving the guests were Mrs. C. U. Luckhart, Mrs. T. L. Sturgess, Mrs. C. E. Blaney and Misses Gwen Wood, Ethel Bale, Betty Bapty and Kathleen Sheret. The bride wore her beautiful wedding gown, and her bridesmaid, Miss Allan, was in the attractive frock which she wore on the wedding day.

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Shower for Bride-to-Be

At the home of Mrs. Sargeant, 634 Cornwall Street, Miss Trudy Roberts and Mrs. E. Love were joint hostesses recently at a pantry shower for Miss Isobel Cameron, a bride-to-be. The many gifts were concealed in a miniature fireplace and the room was prettily decorated in mauve and yellow. The evening was spent in games, the prize winners being Miss I. Cameron, Mrs. Brooks-Smith, Mrs. Cowndon and Mrs. Cornese. A buffet supper was served by the hostesses, assisted by Mrs. N. Lynn. The invited guests were Mesdames Cameron, Signanni, Cowndon, Cornese, Willcox, Lynn, Sargeant, Brooks-Smith, Campbell, Call, Underwood, Rock, Bisset, Wiggs, Misses I. Cameron, B. Willoughby, L. Mackie, E. and J. McNutt, I. Jennings, M. Cessford, N. O'Connell, V. Brown, E. Spearshott, N. and B. Chapman and D. Kelly.

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Present Gift

Miss Nancy Stark, whose marriage to Mr. D. Jaquith will take place this month, was entertained at the tea hour yesterday at the home of Miss Florence McDougall, 325 Vancouver Street. During the afternoon, the bride-to-be was asked to launch a yellow paper ship, whose cargo consisted of a beautiful silver flower basket, a gift from the members of the bridge club, to which she belongs. Tea was served from a table centred with a bowl of yellow tulips flanked by tall yellow tapers. The guests were Mesdames K. Ryves, William Gelling, F. Wiper, M. McDonald, N. Gyles, A. Thompson, G. M. Perkins, A. McDougall, Misses K. Harris and Dora Hume, Peggy Ryves, Eileen Clarke, Lois Cockell, Ruth McIntosh and Grace Milne.

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Party for Bride-to-Be

Miss Jean Munroe and Miss Olive Palmer entertained on Friday evening at the home of Mrs. H. A. White, 3245 Dublin Road, in honor of Miss Margaret Collins, whose marriage to Mr. Harold Dear will take place next week. Gifts were presented in a boat, prettily decorated in blue and white. Games were played and prizes won by Miss V. Day and M. Harper. The invited guests were Mesdames Collins, E. Sheats, L. Day, E. Anderton, Burnett, R. Love, E. McNeill and G. White, and Misses M. Cuthbertson, V. Day, M. Robbins, H. Brown, M. Harper, F. Jones, M. Buckingham, H. Woods, B. Davidson, C. Miller, P. Palmer, A. Jones, E. Anderson, V. Bath, N. Burnett and A. McNutt.

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Hostesses at Shower

Mrs. E. J. Galvin and her daughter, Mary, were hostesses at a shower given in honor of Miss Evelyn Lavery, whose marriage to Mr. Clarence E. Gahun, will take place on May 25. The bride-to-be received many gifts concealed in a gaily-decorated basket, which was presented by little Patsy Danes and Gay Grant. The evening was spent in playing cards, after which a buffet supper was served. The invited guests included Mrs. Lennox, Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Darcy Danes, Mrs. Sandy, Mrs. George Scott, Mrs. H. Lineham, Mrs. Welker, Mrs. Percy Minckler, Mrs. A. Harris, Misses Mirah Welker, Mary Morry, Janet Mellings and Irene Humphries.

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Soroptimist Club

The members of the Soroptimist Club held their birthday dinner party on Friday evening at the Green Lantern Grill, to celebrate the founding of the club. Mrs. Florence Mutrie, the president, was presented with a fragrant bouquet. Miss Alma Russell and Miss Bowron were the club's guests for the occasion. After dinner, the members attended a picture show and later adjourned to the clubrooms, where refreshments were served. During the evening, the winners of the contest at the recent silver tea at Mrs. Fred Robertson's home were announced as being Mr. Phil Vincent, of Vancouver, and Mr. G. B. Dixon, of Victoria.

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Silver Tea Held

A successful silver tea was given on Thursday afternoon by Mrs. A. Goodwin and Mrs. J. N. Forde, at the latter's home, 707 Wilson Street. The sum of $11 was realized towards the mortgage of Esquimalt United Church. The rooms were decorated with a profusion of tulips and Australian hyacinths. Miss Rowe and Miss Jones delighted those present with pianoforte solos during the afternoon, and Mrs. Mossop kindly read teacups. Mrs. C. Bull and Mrs. C. Hogan presided at the tea table, pouring tea for about forty guests. Those assisting in serving tea were Mrs. A. Gray, Mrs. G. Corliss and Miss E. Deaville.

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Dance at Crystal Garden

Misses Thora Harrison, Kathleen and Iris Smith entertained a number of their friends at the dance at the Crystal Garden last evening. Later they returned to the home of Miss Harrison on Wark Street, where a buffet supper was served. Among those present were Misses Jean Jackson, Noreen Creelman, Marjorie Dixon, Mary Smyth, Clarenda Jeeves, Thor Harrison, Kathleen and Iris Smith and Messrs. Alan Paver, John Hooper, Seaton Redknap, Stanley Laver, Bob Murray, B. Creelman, Dick Ashe and Alfred Ricketts.

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Sketch Club Meets

Mrs. A. J. Woodward entertained members of the Sketch Club of the Island Arts and Crafts recently at her home, "Clovelly," North Quadra Street, when the inaugural meeting of the out-of-door sketching parties was held in her delightful gardens. Some good sketches were made, and the wild flowers, cherry blooms and rock gardens were greatly admired and studied. Tomorrow, the members are asked to take the 2 o'clock car from town to the end of Uplands, where sketching will be done amid the fields of buttercups and kamass.

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Party at Esquimalt

Dr. and Mrs. J. S. McCallum entertained informally yesterday afternoon at their home on Esquimalt Road in honor of Commander and Mrs. G. C. Jones, who will leave this week for Ottawa.

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Leaving for Penticton

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Dawson, accompanied by their daughter, Patricia, who arrived in Victoria on Friday morning from Prince Rupert, will leave this afternoon for the Mainland, en route to Penticton, to which point Mr. Dawson has been transferred by the Bank of Montreal. They will be accompanied by Miss Louise Ormond, who will be their guest in the Interior city.

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Return to Victoria

Major and Mrs. J. E. Hunter, who have been spending nearly a year in England, returned to Victoria yesterday morning and expect to visit for several weeks before leaving for Calgary, where Major Hunter will be stationed. Major and Mrs. Hunter motored across Canada, accompanied from Montreal by Mrs. L. Leverin, who will visit friends in Victoria.

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Visitors Here

Dr. Eldridge Corbett and Mr. William Corbett, K.C., of Edmonton, have been visiting Mr. Charles Foster Corbett, Linkleas Avenue. Mrs. Corbett has returned from Vancouver, having accompanied friends on the Ss. Niagara, who were on a world tour, whom she joined while the ship was in port in Victoria.

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En Route South

Mr. and Mrs. Ross W. Beale, of San Francisco, whose marriage took place recently in the South, have been spending a part of their honeymoon at Klitsa Lodge, Sproat Lake, and returned to Victoria on Friday. They are spending a few days in the city prior to leaving for the Mainland, en route home.

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Luncheon Hostess

Mrs. A. D. Bechtel, Rockland Avenue, was hostess at a luncheon party yesterday, complimentary to Mrs. Chator Payne, of Vancouver. The other guests were Mrs. N. F. Payne, Mrs. B. S. Heisterman, Mrs. J. A. Rithet, Mrs. J. W. Lennox, Mrs. J. M. Hedley and Miss Gladys Irving.

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Informal Party

Paymaster-Lieutenant R. A. Wright and Mrs. Wright entertained informally Friday afternoon at their home on Constance Avenue, Esquimalt, in farewell to Commander and Mrs. G. C. Jones, and also to welcome Commander and Mrs. C. T. Beard, who have arrived from Ottawa.

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Visiting in City

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest W. Good, the former Miss Verna Ethel Donnelly, whose marriage took place Friday evening at Port Alberni, are spending some time in Victoria prior to leaving for the Mainland, en route South as far as Mexico on their honeymoon.

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News of Bereavement

Mrs. B. Eyton Spurling, of Ladysmith, has received word, by cable, of the death of her brother, Rev. C. W. Montgomery Bromley, rector of Nantwich, Cheshire, England. Mrs. Hyde Parker, late of Crofton, Vancouver Island, now living in England, is another sister.

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Visitors in Victoria

Colonel I. Schneider, of Winnipeg, is visiting Colonel and Mrs. R. C. Andros, Selkirk Avenue. Mr. and Mrs. F. McCallum, who had been guests of Colonel and Mrs. Andros, returned yesterday to their home in Prince Rupert.

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Returns Home

Mrs. Robert Gillespie, of Seattle, a frequent visitor to Victoria, spent a short time here and returned home yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Gillespie was accompanied by her younger son, Bruce.

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Visiting Parents

Mrs. O. W. R. Hughes and her little son have arrived from Mayo, Y.T., and are staying with Mrs. Hughes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pontifex, Niagara Street.

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Farewell Tea Party

Mrs. J. W. Benning, Rockland Avenue, will entertain a few friends at tea this afternoon in farewell to Commander and Mrs. G. C. Jones, who will leave shortly for Ottawa.

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Go to California

General and Mrs. Spry, of Calgary, who have been guests at The Angela, left yesterday for California, where they expect to spend about three weeks.

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Returns to Vancouver

Mrs. G. H. Willard, of Vancouver, who has been spending the past two weeks at Klitsa Lodge, Sproat Lake, has returned home.

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Visiting Sister

Mrs. Chator Payne, of Vancouver, is visiting her sister, Mrs. N. F. Payne, Oliver Street, for two weeks.

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In Hospital

Miss E. G. Allen, of Ladysmith, will be a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital for a week.

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At The Angela

Miss A. Harvey has returned to The Angela and expects to remain there throughout the Summer.

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Leaves for Vancouver

Mrs. Arthur K. Mitchell left for Vancouver yesterday for golf week.

A Cheerful Little Fellow

—Photograph by Fennell

This attractive little boy, Richard Douglas Tanner, aged twenty-one months, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Tanner, 1038 Wollaston Street, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Cobbett, Shakespeare Street, and of Mr. and Mrs. R. Tanner, Sr., of this city.

At the Hotels

DOMINION

Captain D. Clinton, Vancouver; Mrs. and Miss Hunt, Delorane, Man.; Mr. B. C. Tiffany, San Francisco; Mrs. M. Jacoby, Vancouver; Mr. R. Shaw, Cumberland; Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Venables, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Fenner and Miss Fenner, Mill; Miss Murray, Miss C. Gordon, San Francisco; Mrs. A. H. Gordon, Mrs. H. Morley, Vancouver; Mrs. W. P. Graham and [illegible]; Mr. W. W. Brimby, Vancouver; Mr. W. P. Clark, Victoria; Mr. G. Geary, Vancouver.

BEVERLEY

Mrs. S. Gunstein, Miss Margaret Barry, Miss Rita Roberts, Seattle; Mr. A. H. Cole, Vancouver; Mr. L. H. Giddings, Pasadena; Mrs. Mary J. Terry, Seattle; Mrs. E. J. Hopper, Pasadena; Mr. and Mrs. James Hammond, Mr. R. Leonard, Mr. F. Harbart, Vancouver.

GLENSHIEL

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The Victoria High School Stamp Club has become a permanent faculty on the extra-curriculum student activity. The club, organized and directed by Miss Adele McLeod, has an enrolment of over twenty-five letter-minded pupils. Since organization there have been many philatelists of note visit the institution and address the members on various branches of the collecting hobby. Miss McLeod has subscribed to a journal which contains up-to-date news of stamp collectors, and placed the editions in the school library for all to read.

The club is now collecting funds with which to purchase a prominent book on stamps basically bearing the picture of animals. Several stamp competitions have been held on the theme, "Know Your Stamps." Miss McLeod awards valuable stamps as prizes. A private school in New Zealand has communicated with the school Stamp Club, through S. J. Willis and John Deane. A package of stamps is being compiled for mailing to the Antipodes club.

The draw for the girls' single tennis tournament has been made, with the following matches scheduled to be played in the first bracket: Vera Sinclair vs. Doris Anderson; Mary Alexander vs. Anna Anderson; Kay Gahan vs. Gwen Burton; Anna Peden vs. Peggy Frost; Jessie Wood vs. A. Boulet; Phyllis Gratton vs. Hazel Smith, and Eileen Lanigan vs. Beth Ellwood.

The Grade XII oratorical contest was held at the regular meeting of Portia last week. Peggy Mulliner spoke on "Lord Nelson's Ship, Victory." "Lawrence in Arabia" was Helen Manning's topic. Sybil Crawford selected "Lord Tweedsmuir" as her subject of address, and Lucille MacKay described "A Little English Village." —Mrs. Lloyd Morgan was the guest adjudicator. This week's affair will be established as the annual prize-giving day, at which inter-year trophies and matriculation plus will be presented. Parents and friends of the debaters are invited to attend.

Mount View High School again came through to turn back the Victoria High School "A" team soccer players (3-2) to eliminate them from the Thompson Cup running. The "B" team will clash with Esquimalt at the Victoria High School ground on Tuesday. Play in the boys' and girls' softball league is advancing regularly with second round teams now competing.

The sporting teams of the school and the members of the Students' Council went before the camera on Friday afternoon for the taking of group pictures, which will be placed in the school annual, The Camosun.

The wooden framework of the tennis backstop, the bicycle racks and the main entrance doors of the school have all received new paint jobs since the beginning of the week. The tennis enthusiasts at the school next year may have something entirely new to look forward to, since there is a possibility that two new clay courts will be built adjoining the agricultural gardens in the Fall.

In the boys' singles tennis tournament the following students registered victories to enter the third round: Walker, Osborne, Bennett, G. Dawson, Harmston, Chan and Greensmith. Martin, Alexander, Horne, Bishop, Chow and McCutcheon were eliminated. All players are expected to be ready for semi-final play by the end of this week.

William "Bill" Stone topped the polling for the position of valedictorian at the matriculation banquet on Wednesday, May 27. A dinner is held in the school cafeteria on this date, after which a dance is held in the gymnasium. Ira Dilworth will be the guest speaker for the evening. Lorne McGregor will give the "Class Prophecy," and Tom Anstey will review the "Class History." Peter Briscoe, Betty Shade, Peggy Mulliner, Joe Adam and Francis Guilbride will be heard also in proposing and replying to toasts. The committee in charge, Phyllis Addison, Fred Shorrock, Florence Jones, Stanley Pelland, I. Garrison, Evelyn Alexander, Phyllis Christian, Alec Crawford, Peggy Mulliner, Lewis Alexander, Joan Bland, Doree Trevett and Joe Adam are being ably directed by Miss Archibald and Mr. Hickman.

At Thursday morning's assembly Principal H. L. Smith remarked and extended his good wishes to those former Victoria High School students who made honors standings in subjects at the Victoria College this term.

Announcement has been made of the Beta Delta banquet, which will be held on May 15 in the school cafeteria, commencing at 8 o'clock.

BAND CONCERT WILL BE HELD

Sixteenth Canadian Scottish To Provide Mothers' Day Programme

The Sixteenth Canadian Scottish Band will present a band concert in honor of "Mother's Day" in Beacon Hill Park this afternoon, commencing at 3 o'clock. Lieut. James M. Miller, musical director for the Canadian Scottish Regiment, has arranged an excellent programme in keeping with the spirit of the day.

The concert will commence with "O Canada," followed by two verses of the hymn, "Unto the Hills Do I Lift Up," with the audience taking part in the singing.

The opening number on the programme is a march entitled "The Sun God," followed by a selection which few mothers have forgotten, "The Merry Widow." A cornet solo, "Mother Machree," by Bandsman J. Mossop, precedes a serenade, "Twilight Romance," and the selection, "Songs From the Old Folks," which includes many old tunes such as "The Old Oaken Bucket," "Ben Bolt," "When You and I Were Young," "Sweet and Low," etc. The overture to "Orpheus" precedes the march entitled "Banner March," which concludes the first portion of the programme.

After a short intermission the concert will resume with the band presenting a selection, "Musical Comedy Sketches," followed by two very popular numbers, "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling" and "Queen of the Earth." Next will be an Echo Quartette, "My Creole Sue," "Dear Little Boy of Mine" will be played as a euphonium solo by Corporal E. Micheux. The "Military Tattoo," which closes with the beautiful hymn, "Abide With Me," precedes the closing march, "Soldier's Life."

"Now, Louis," said the teacher in the French primary school, "a slice of ham costs five sous, a piece of butter costs three sours and a small roll costs five sous. What does that make?"

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4 cups cold cooked beef, cut in 1-inch cubes.
2 cups brown sauce or gravy.
1 cup celery, cut small.
1 cup carrot, cubed.
1 onion, thinly sliced.
1 cup tomatoes, cooked or canned.
2 teaspoon Yorkshire Relish.
1 teaspoon salt.
1/4 teaspoon pepper.
1 cup peas, beans, or mushrooms, cooked or canned.
1 cup potato balls, part-boiled ten minutes.

Put the first 9 ingredients in casserole dish. Cover and bake 1 hour in moderate oven (350°F.). Add other ingredients and cook 30 minutes longer or until potatoes are soft.

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ISLAND MINING GAINS ACTIVITY

Many New Claims Staked And Much Development Being Undertaken

CLAYOQUOT, May 8 (By Mail).—An increased activity in mining development and prospecting over that of last year is reported not only from the Alberni district, but from many other points on the West Coast as far north as Cape Cook. Such work on the West Coast is usually somewhat retarded during the rainy season, but already many new claims are being staked and much new development is said to be under way at many points.

It has been reported that a large development plan is under consideration in connection with the opening up of a group of claims in the Kennedy Lake area. The problem here is singularly one of transportation, and the only solution seems to be to install a mill right on the property, and this is now being planned by the management and will be financed by American capital, and it is reported that operations will begin just as soon as suitable weather conditions permit.

EXPANSION INDICATED

Development is going steadily forward at Herbert Arm, with every indication of greater expansion during the coming Summer months. This work is under the management of Captain C. C. Binns, well-known mining man of Alberni.

Reports of rich finds come from the Bear River district, which has been extensively prospected during the past six months. For many years this locality has been known to contain rich gold ore, and has been as often exploited during the past twenty-five years as its better-known neighbor to the east of it, Wreck Bay, but owing to difficulties of transportation and other existing conditions, no really large development has been made possible. However, some very rich samples of quartz have been recently brought out by C. Johnson, of Alberni.

News also comes from Toquart that eight claims there have been taken over recently, and that under the management of Mr. E. Brown, well-known mining promoter on the West Coast and in Vancouver and Seattle, development there will start at once. This property is situated on Barkley Sound, about two miles in from the water, and more accessible than many other of the prospects along this rugged and isolated coast.

Old Skipper of Mauretania Dies

ASHURST, Hampshire, May 9 (AP).—Captain S. G. S. McNeil, former commander of the liner Mauretania, died Friday night of a heart attack. He retired from the sea six years ago and was credited with being instrumental in the rescue of 520 persons during his seafaring career.

Little Stories for Bedtime

Peter Rabbit Fights With Himself

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

That's a funny thing to do—to fight with yourself—isn't it? But that is what Peter Rabbit did—fought with himself. Yes, sir, Peter fought with himself, and it was a hard fight. You know, that kind of fighting is the very hardest kind of fighting in the world. You see, it was this way. Peter had been lucky, very lucky. He had started out to follow Busy Bee from the Green Meadows to her storehouse in the Green Forest, and almost right away he had lost sight of her. But he kept on deep into the Green Forest, wandering this way and that way, until he had grown so tired that he just had to sit down at the foot of a big tree to rest. And as he rested he had heard a humming sound up high over his head, and it sounded as if it came from inside the great tree. When Peter looked up he saw Busy Bee and all her relations coming and going from a little hole way up near the top of the tree. Then he knew that just by chance he had found the storehouse of Busy Bee.

How Peter's heart did leap! He did a little joy dance all by himself, with no one to see, just because he was so tickled. "Now," said Peter to himself, "I will tell Buster Bear, and he will be so pleased that he will always be friendly to me, and I need never be afraid of him any more. They say he loves honey better than anything else in the world. I'll hurry and tell him as soon as I can before anyone else finds this storehouse and gets ahead of me."

Peter started off, lippety-lippety-lip, as fast as he could go to look for Buster Bear, but he had gone only a little way when he stopped suddenly. He had remembered what Bumble, the cousin of Busy Bee had said when he had asked him to tell him where Busy Bee's storehouse was. Bumble had been indignant, very indignant. He had hummed and buzzed angrily. He had said some very sharp things to Peter about making trouble for others. Peter had gone home to the dear Old Briar Patch and thought it all over, and had made up his mind that Bumble was right. It was a dreadful thing to make trouble for others, and he didn't want to do anything of the kind. But that was before he had found the storehouse of Busy Bee. Then it had been easy to make up his mind that he would do nothing like that. But now—

Then he knew that just by chance he had found the storehouse of Busy Bee

well, it was different. First he scratched his long right ear with his long left hind foot. Then he scratched his long left ear with his long right hind foot.

"I don't know that Buster Bear will make any trouble for Busy Bee," thought Peter, and hopped on a few steps.

"Yes, you do, too," said a small voice inside, and Peter sat down.

"If I don't tell him, someone else will," thought Peter, and started off again.

"Perhaps no one else will find the storehouse," said the small voice inside, and Peter stopped hopping.

"Someone is sure to," thought Peter, once more starting on. "If they do, it is no business of yours," said the small voice, and Peter sat down.

"I'm going to tell!" said Peter fiercely, and began to hurry faster than ever.

"You're not, either!" "You couldn't be so mean," protested the small voice, and just as before Peter sat still.

Now, all this time that Peter had been fighting with himself he had been too busy to watch out, and so he did not see the crafty face of Reddy Fox peeping out from behind an old stump just ahead of him. Reddy was grinning wickedly, for he saw that Peter for once was not looking for danger. Two more jumps and Peter would be right where Reddy could spring on him.

Next Story: "Peter Rabbit Plays Dodge."

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Social Activities and Notes of Personal Interest

Miss Cameron Is Vocalist at The Empress

Miss Doreen Cameron, a gifted Victoria soprano, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cameron, Foul Bay Road, made her debut as a soloist at the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon, singing the two hour and she was given a most appreciative reception.

Possessing a partly early piercing voice, Miss Cameron combines naturalness and an unaffected manner in her style. There is warmth in the quality of her tone, and her clear diction was specially noticeable by all who heard her.

Her songs were "Four-Leafed Clover" (Brownell), "Cradle Song" (Kreisler), "An Open Secret" (Woodman), "Lullaby" (Brahms), "The Old Refrain" (Kreisler) and "In May time" (Spross). As an accompanist Mr. Malcolm More gave the artist admirable support, playing in his usual artistic manner.

THOSE PRESENT

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. P. W. deV. Taylor, Miss Fiona Taylor, Master Robert Taylor, Mrs. Walter Hinchman (Boston), Mrs. George B. Galloway (Washington, D.C.), Mrs. Harry Cassidy, Mrs. Andrew Mackenzie, Mr. G. M. Weir, Mrs. Allon Peebles, Miss Margaret Clay, Mrs. Gordon Sloan, Mrs. J. Murray Cameron, Mrs. A. Watson, Mrs. Herbert Stevens, Mrs. Chandler (Calgary), Mrs. E. M. Jackson, Miss Kathleen Agnew, Mrs. Tillson, Mrs. J. S. Dennis, Mrs. Alice Thomson, Mrs. R. E. Snider, Mrs. W. R. Gunn, Mrs. S. Youlden, Mrs. W. E. M. Mitchell, Miss Pam Mitchell, Mrs. F. A. Lindsay, Mrs. G. Storey Waller, Mrs. W. Melville Martin.

Mrs. J. D. Martin (Regina), Miss Helen Straith, Mrs. George Straith, Mrs. John Logan, Mrs. Howard Leggat, Mrs. Norman Douglas and Miss Margaret Douglas (Winnipeg), Miss Penwill, Mrs. Ovington Watt (Calgary), Mrs. Archie Watt, Mrs. T. Cusack, Mrs. A. J. Sommer, Mrs. A. A. Warder, Mrs. T. G. Roberts (Winnipeg), Mrs. J. L. Tait, Mrs. B. R. Ciceri, Mrs. W. S. Thatcher, the Misses Muriel and Roberta Thatcher, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jameson, Mrs. J. W. Hugill (Calgary), Miss Ellen T. Hugill (Edmonton), Miss Jean T. Hugill (Calgary), Mr. Archibald H. Hugill (Trail), Miss McIntosh, Miss R. Clark, Mrs. R. Whittington, Mrs. Herbert Knott, Mrs. E. W. Whittington, Mrs. J. K. Hodges, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Burbank.

Weddings

VIGGERS—SPEDDING

In the presence of relatives only, the wedding took place at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, at the Metropolitan United Church Manse, Rev. E. E. Church officiating, when Sadie, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Spedding, Dundas Street, became the bride of Mr. Edward Viggers, eldest son of Mrs. F. Viggers, Shelbourne Street, and of the late Mr. Viggers.

The bride wore a blue and white costume, and a corsage bouquet of lilies of the valley and roses, and was attended by Miss Kitty Streaton, in gray, with a corsage bouquet of mauve sweet peas and roses. Mr. John Viggers supported his brother. After a honeymoon on the Mainland, Mr. and Mrs. Viggers will reside at Cowichan Lake.

THOMSON—DAVIS

The floral decorations in Central Baptist Church were carried out in a color scheme of mauve and white, with lilac and white narcissi, for the wedding of Edith, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Davis, Mason Street, and Mr. Wilbert Thomson, third son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Thomson, of Edmonton, which was solemnized last evening at 8 o'clock. Rev. F. W. McKinnon officiated at the service, and Mrs. Amos Robinson presided at the organ. As the register was being signed Mr. David Sadler sang "I Love You Truly."

The bride, who was gowned in white satin, was given away by her father. Her dress had a slight train, a cowl neck and very full sleeves, and with this she wore an embroidered veil, which fell over the train, attached to a coronet of orange blossoms, and she carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley and bridal roses. The senior bridesmaids were Miss Dorothy Davis, the bride's sister dressed in blue, and Miss Margaret Ralph, in peach. Their frocks of flat crepe were fashioned alike, and their small hats, trimmed with flowers and tulle veils, matched their gowns, and they carried bouquets of pale pink carnations and snapdragons. The junior attendant was Laverne McColm, in a long frock of yellow taffeta, who wore a bandeau of flowers in her hair, and carried a colonial posy of mixed flowers. Mr. Blair McLean, of Edmonton, was best man, and the ushers were Mr. Stanley Ralph and Mr. Lloyd Knapp.

A reception was held later in the Knights of Pythias Hall, where pink and white featured the decorations. After the guests had been welcomed by Mr. and Mrs. Davis, the latter in a smart ensemble of brown and white polka-dot crepe, with white accessories, they greeted the bride and groom, who stood beneath a floral archway. Refreshments were served from a table lighted with tall pink tapers in silver holders, and centred with the wedding cake. After a honeymoon in Vancouver and Jasper Park, Mr. and Mrs. Thomson will make their home in Edmonton. Mrs. Thomson went away in a white ensemble.

HALVORSEN—MARTINSEN

A quiet wedding was solemnized on Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Rev. James Hood, when Martha Christine, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Martinsen, of Jordan River, became the bride of Mr. Ingvar Halvorsen.

The bride wore a smart blue silk ensemble, with hat and accessories to match. She wore a corsage of rosebuds and lilies of the valley.

Miss Randi Sorenson, the bride's cousin, was her only attendant, and she wore a tea-rose flat crepe ensemble, with brown hat and accessories and a corsage bouquet of sweet peas. Mr. B. Solheim supported the groom.

A small reception was held at the home of the bride's cousins, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. James, Cedar Hill Road. Mr. and Mrs. Halvorsen will make their home at Port Renfrew.

LOWE—MURRAY

A quiet wedding was solemnized yesterday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, at the home of the bride's brother, Mr. Harry Murray, 526 Joffre Street, Esquimalt, when Rev. William Allan united in marriage Miss Grace Ellen Murray, only daughter of the late Mr. J. D. Murray, of Brentwood, and of the late Mrs. E. S. Sims, of Colquitz, and Mr. Delmarke Steven Lowe, only son of Mr. D. B. Lowe, of Prince George, B.C., and the late Mrs. M. G. Lowe, of Vancouver.

Given in marriage by her brother, the bride looked smart in a grey tailored suit with navy accessories, and wore a corsage bouquet of rose buds and forget-me-nots. Miss Margaret Ralph attended as bridesmaid, wearing a dress of dusty pink with brown accessories. She also wore a corsage buoquet of carnations and fern. Mr. Jack Parker acted as best man.

Relatives and intimate friends attended the reception at which the bride and groom were assisted in receiving the guests by Mrs. H. Murray, sister-in-law of the bride. A two-tier wedding cake centred the daintily arranged refreshment table.

The newly married couple left on the afternoon boat for Seattle and on their return will reside in this city.

MACDONALD—MUTCH

Announcement is made of the marriage of Helen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Mutch, Crescent Road, and Mr. Alexander Macdonald, son of Mr. N. P. Macdonald, View Street, and of the late Mrs. Macdonald, which took place last evening at the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. Daniel Walker, Rockland Avenue. The bride wore a wine-colored silk crepe frock with white accessories. Miss Ada Mutch was the only bridesmaid, and the best man was the groom's brother, Mr. John Macdonald. The bridesmaid's frock was of burnt orange silk crepe, with which she wore a white hat. She and the bride wore corsage sprays of lily-of-the-valley, narcissi and pink tulips. A small reception was held after the ceremony at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Plater, Pioneer Street, Esquimalt. On their return from the honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Macdonald will live on Crescent Road.

Spending Honeymoon Here

MR. AND MRS. S. HARRY BAKER

Who were married in Seattle on Wednesday last at the Woodland Park Presbyterian Church by Rev. Mr. Wake, are spending their honeymoon in Victoria. Mr. Baker is a native son of Victoria and attended school here. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Baker, of Seattle, formerly of Victoria, and his bride was formerly Miss Grace D. Arvidson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Arvidson, of Seattle. They were attended at their wedding by Mrs. Edward Thompson, sister of the groom, as matron of honor, and Mr. Jack R. Baker, the groom's brother, as best man. A reception was held later at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Baker have been visiting here as the guests of Mrs. A. G. Wheeler and her son, Mr. Joe G. Wheeler, 966 Bank Street, and will leave this afternoon for Seattle, where they will make their home.

Musical Art Society Has New Officers

Mrs. David Keir was elected president of Musical Art Society at a recent meeting. Mrs. J. O. Cameron is the honorary president; Mrs. Eva Baird, first vice-president; Mr. Dudley Wickett, second vice-president; Mrs. C. S. Beals, treasurer; Miss Lora Blake, secretary, and directors, Mrs. C. W. Bradshaw, Mrs. T. W. A. Gray, Mrs. Russell Markham, Miss Nellie Scowcroft, Miss Dorothy Parsons, Miss Helen Ockenden, Mr. Edward Parsons, Mr. Edward Parsons, Mr. Edgar Holloway and Mr. Reginald Cox.

ENGAGEMENTS

WARR—JONES

Mr. and Mrs. Harry V. Jones, 1327 Pandora Avenue, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Elizabeth, to Rev. J. Harwood A. Warr, only son of Mrs. J. H. A. Warr, 477 Swinford Street, and the late Mr. Warr. The wedding will take place next month in Metropolitan United Church.

HAMILTON—OVERSTALL

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Overstall announce the engagement of their only daughter, Nora Kathleen, to Mr. Francis George Hamilton, second son of Mrs. R. Hamilton and the late Mr. Robert Hamilton, of 28 Douglas Street, the wedding to take place about the middle of June.

HUMBER—JOHNSON

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson, of Pandora Avenue, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Muriel Eva, to Mr. Leonard George Humber, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Humber, of Lang Street. The wedding will take place on June 6.

BENWELL—WILSON

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wilson, of Nanaimo, wish to announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Verna, to Mr. Richard C. Benwell, of Victoria. The wedding to take place quietly in June.

HERON—CROWE

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Crowe, 3711 Saanich Road, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary, to Mr. Bernard Heron, eldest son of Mr. Heron and the late Mrs. Heron, of Surrey, England. The wedding will take place at the Douglas Street Baptist Church on Saturday evening, May 30.

COVEY—HILL

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hill, 934 Green Street, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Evelyn Margaret Christena, to Mr. Rohan Covey, only son of Mrs. A. Covey, Superior Street. The wedding will take place at St. John's Church, Quadra Street, on Saturday, June 13, at 8:30 p.m.

McEWAN—DENONI

Mr. and Mrs. J. Denoni, 709 Belton Street, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Pearle Hill, to Mr. Angus D. McEwan, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McEwan, of Duncan. The wedding will take place at St. John's Church, Quadra Street, on June 9, at 8:30 p.m.

WIMSETT—CLARKE

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Clarke, Cadboro Bay, announce the engagement of their daughter, Doreen Winnifred, to Mr. Gordon Wimsett, of Victoria. The wedding will take place on June 1.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTES

SHAWNIGAN LAKE

A delightful departure from the usual was the regular meeting of the Shawnigan Lake Institute held on Thursday afternoon in the lounge at Forest Inn, by kind invitation of Mrs. F. C. Mason Hurley. Twenty-five members and friends were present, several of whom were conveyed by Mr. Dennis Hurley in the launch. The president, Mrs. M. Macdonald, opened the meeting with prayer and spoke a few words of welcome to Mrs. M. Kinloch, who has returned from a visit to England. In response to an appeal for co-operation with the Farmers' Institute in the Cobble Hill Fall Fair, Mrs. F. T. Elford and Mrs. Kinloch were appointed to represent the Institute. The branch decided to enter an Institute exhibit in the fair. The members showed a favorable reaction to a plan for a proposed Shawnigan field day to be held in the latter part of June, and Mrs. E. M. Robertson was appointed to represent the Institute at a meeting of all organizations. Mrs. M. Kinloch read interesting excerpts from the annual report of the Cowichan Health Centre, showing the wonderful work that is being done. The meeting concluded with a delightful travel talk by Mrs. Mason Hurley on a voyage from London to South Africa. Tea was served in the dining-room by the hostess.

ESQUIMALT WHIST PARTY

The Esquimalt Liberal Association will hold a whist party at 8 o'clock tomorrow night in St. Paul's Parish Hall. Prizes and refreshments will be provided.

Wedding at Alberni Is Of Interest

A wedding of much interest to residents of the Nanaimo and Alberni districts was solemnized last evening, when Miss Verna Ethel, fourth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Donnelly, of Port Alberni, and Mr. Ernest Watson Good, third son of Mrs. J. H. Good and the late Mr. Good, of Nanaimo, were united in marriage, the ceremony being performed by Rev. G. Stevenson at St. Alban's Church, Alberni.

The bride, given away by her father, made a beautiful picture in a wedding gown of white suede lace, with a full-length veil covering her face and fastened with a coronet of orange blossoms. She carried a beautiful bouquet of lily of the valley and roses. The matron of honor, Mrs. W. G. Brown, sister of the bride, was gowned in gold lame with a picture hat to match. The bridesmaids were Miss Janet Strain, Miss Thelma Donnelly and Miss Marjorie Brown, wearing white bouffant taffeta gowns with colonial turbans trimmed with a spray of gardenias at the back, and carried colonial bouquets. Little Myrna Brown was a dainty flower girl.

Mr. Lionel Good supported the groom, while Dr. A. G. Verchere, Dr. W. G. Brown and Mr. Harold Good acted as ushers.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Arrowview Hotel, where the happy couple received their many friends, later leaving on a honeymoon trip to Mexico. The bride wore a British tan sports frock, white coat and matching accessories. On their return, they will make their home in Nanaimo.

Saltspring Island

Mr. J. Headly, who has for about two years rented a cottage at Vesuvius Bay, has now taken over the farm vacated by Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Hoole on St. Mary's Lake.

Miss Annie Allan, of Victoria, has arrived at Ganges, where she will be the guest for some days of Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Mouat, of Rainbow Road.

Mrs. G. Fanning, of Vancouver, accompanied by her two children, arrived on Saturday at Ganges, where they will be the guests of Mrs. Fanning's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Elliot for a few days.

Mr. Oliver Mouat arrived from Vancouver on Saturday and will spend a week on the Island as the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Mouat, of Ganges.

After a week on the Island as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Faux, of Ganges, Misses Stella Wilkinson and Marjorie McMahon returned to Vancouver on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Johnson and Mrs. Tompson, of Victoria, have returned home after a few days' visit to the Island, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Wilson, of "Barnsbury."

Miss Norah Turner, of Ganges, left on Monday for Duncan, where she is a patient in the King's Daughters' Hospital.

Brentwood

Mrs. William Watt was hostess at an enjoyable bridge and tea on Wednesday afternoon. Her guests were Mrs. William Sturrock, Mrs. S. Shiner, Mrs. Austin Gale, Mrs. Lawrence Hafer, Mrs. D. K. Beaumont, Mrs. A. E. Hall, Mrs. Styan, Mrs. Gilbert Smith, Mrs. F. Freeland, Mrs. Walter Mitchell, Mrs. B. Lee, Miss Alice Styan and Miss Esther Smith.

Mrs. Lawrence Hafer recently entertained at her home, Brentwood Bay. The guests were Mrs. P. Peterson, Olympia, Wash.; Mrs. William Sturrock, Mrs. A. E. Hall, Mrs. Austin Gale, Mrs. William Watt, Mrs. D. K. Beaumont and Mrs. D. Ball.

Ketchikan Now Alaska's Largest

KETCHIKAN, Alaska, May 9 (AP).—An election annexing Charcoal Point to Ketchikan makes this city the largest in Alaska. Its 4,168 population is slightly larger than Juneau's.

Campbell River

Mrs. F. McGee was the guest of Mrs. I. S. Grant for a week before returning home.

Mrs. F. McCarthy entertained with two tables of bridge in honor of Mrs. F. McGee. The prize winners were Mrs. J. Vanstone and Mrs. F. McGee.

Mr. J. G. McDonald, of the Forestry Department, passed through here on his way to Thurston Bay.

Miss Lebedevic, of the local hospital, has left for Vancouver.

Mesdames I. S. Grant and F. McGee recently visited friends at Denman Island.

Miss I. Wilson has joined the staff of the Lourdes Hospital.

Mesdames F. McGee and I. S. Grant were luncheon guests of Mrs. W. J. Robertson at Johnson's Auto Camp recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliffe Ouellette and Mr. A. Bergstrom recently motored to Victoria.

Miss M. Abercrombie was the recent guest of Mrs. W. J. Robertson.

Mrs. J. Oates, of Vancouver, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Hall for a few weeks.

Miss Alvira Livingstone returned home recently from Duncan.

Miss Jean Lindsey and Messrs. H. Brosseau and William Murray, of Port Alberni, were the recent guests of Mrs. M. Pearson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Thompson, of Alert Bay, visited here during the week.

Mrs. F. McGee, of Victoria, while visiting here, was the guest of honor at several occasions, among them a tea by Mrs. Atkins and a bridge party by Mrs. A. Cross.

Mr. R. Owens, of Victoria, was a recent visitor here.

Mr. and Mrs. Surdquist, of Courtenay, visited friends here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Jacobson, of Steveston, were recent visitors.

Mrs. F. McGee expects to leave in a couple of months for Colombo, South America, where Mr. McGee is employed.

Mr. A. W. Brosseau, of Bridge River, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. M. Pearson.

Mr. and Mrs. S. King, Mrs. F. Salvail and son, Bobby, recently visited Mrs. Haycock at Upper Campbell Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Robertson have returned home to Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Mawhinnie and Mrs. J. Holmstrom attended the recent dance at Royston.

CLUB ORGANIZED

SALTSPRING ISLAND, May 9.—For the purpose of forming a Young Conservative Association on the island, a meeting was held recently at Harbor House, Ganges. The president of the Saltspring Island Conservative Association, Major A. R. Layard, was in the chair, and there was a good attendance. Mr. David Thomas, Mr. Robert Wootton and Mr. Lundell gave interesting addresses. The nucleus of a Young Conservative Association was formed and the officers will be elected at a meeting to be held on Wednesday, May 13, at Harbor House.

MAHAN GETS SIXTY YEARS

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Chitty said Mahan told him he lived in the Washington mountains after escaping capture at Butte, Mont.; that he lived in Seattle a short time last November, and then went to California, where he had been constantly "on the move" since.

"Mahan told me he almost lived in an automobile during the time he was in California," the marshal added. "He said he had four or five automobiles all the time, and that he had used first one and then another, and stopped only long enough to sleep and eat when moving from one of the hideouts he established to another."

DONE ON IMPULSE

Chitty said the kidnapper upbraided himself bitterly for having ven attempted the kidnapping. Earlier the prisoner told Hughes he planned the crime on an impulse, and should have known better when the eyes of the nation were focused on kidnapping.

"What's that place?" Chitty said Mahan inquired as they approached Steilacoom to board a prison launch.

Told it was a state hospital for the insane, Chitty said, Mahan remarked: "That's where I belong. Sixty years is a long time."

United States Attorney Charles J. Dennis said Mahan wilted under Federal agents' questioning after his arrest in San Francisco Thursday, but signed no confession.

Search in Vain For Octogenarian

PROVIDENCE BAY, Ont., May 9 (AP).—James Lowe, eighty-year-old recluse, is believed by natives of this Manitoulin Island village to have plunged through the ice of Rock Lake and drowned while crossing the lake for supplies. About 100 farmers and bushmen have searched in vain for three days for the aged man, who lived for thirty-five years on a Rock Lake farm.

Roses for Evening Gown

By BETTY BROWNLEE

AGAIN—as pictured in the adjoining sketch—printed material lends itself to the creation of a delightful effect. This time it is utilized in an evening gown.

So, giving a glance at the pen-and-ink impression herewith reproduced, let us analyze the charm of this remarkably refreshing ensemble.

The fabric is challis, the base color being oyster white, with gorgeous splotches of brilliant crimson. The latter, of course, are the printed roses.

A binding of a paler shade of rose is used for trimming the bolero and for the hem of sleeves and skirt. A clever quirk is the manner in which it is made to contrive a criss-cross effect in its trimming of the bodice. A corsage bouquet of real or artificial roses, with a cluster of glistening green leaves, at this point adds greatly to the picture.

The bodice is supported by narrow shoulder straps, and a deep V characterizes its back.

Not the least charming touch of the outfit is the petite bolero jacket with its capelet sleeves, gathered and puffed at the shoulders.

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HOSIERY HIGHLIGHTS by Penmans

Mine at Stellarton Sealed by Order of Government Office

Mine Manager Cannot Obtain Permission to Proceed With Work in Riddled Ground Before Outlining Exact Plan of Operation

HALIFAX, May 9 (P).—The mole-hole dug by Stellarton Draegermen at Moose River Mine to save the lives of two men trapped for ten days at the 141-foot level has been sealed over. By order of the Nova Scotia mines office, no one may attempt an entrance to the gold-studded grimy caverns from which fortunes have been taken—and where smaller fortunes have been lost in efforts to obtain gold.

"Let's blow the mine to hell" was the cry that rang through the bunkhouse, that re-echoed around the Reynold's "suicide shaft" a few hours after Dr. D. E. Robertson and Alfred Scadding were rescued by a crew of 300 Nova Scotia miners. It came mostly from the lips of men from the province's coal fields, men who had risked their lives in the creaking, man-made tunnel of escape.

CELEBRATING VICTORY

The men were celebrating their victory over death that night. "No one else is going to get trapped down there—let's blow the mine to hell." But cautious, though friendly, Mounted Police officers carefully guarded dynamite boxes, and the miners turned away to a keg of flowing beer.

Whether or not Moose River Mines will again be opened up to give employment to the thirty rock miners who live in the tiny village has not yet been determined by Government mining officials.

Mine Manager Felix Henderson is satisfied he can open up a safe channel through one of the many disused shafts in this pot-holed territory. He hopes to proceed with work—but first he must file an application telling just exactly what course he will pursue. Permission to proceed will not be obtained easily.

COMMISSION APPOINTED

For, in the meantime, the Nova Scotia Government has appointed a commission to investigate the Moose River mine collapse. At the head of it is Mr. Justice W. F. Carroll, of the Supreme Court of Nova Scotia. The commission has full power to examine into all circumstances surrounding that sixty-year-old mine which became the tomb of Herman Magill, Toronto barrister, who gave up law to search for gold.

Why did the mine collapse? That question may be answered by the commission.

Mining engineers say that in boom days of the past the underworkings were weakened by greed. Pillars were always at a minimum. There were cavities "as big as circus tents." When the mine was dewatered last January, it was in its most weakened condition.

GOUGED OUT GROUND

Since 1877 men had dug crosscuts and stopes underneath and sunk new shafts. The greatest undermining was done by "tributers"—lessees who work portions of the mine and pay a portion of their findings for the concession. It was not to their advantage to fill in weakened sections from which ore tonnage had been gouged out. Thus it went down through the years until Dr. Robertson and Herman Magill took possession of the mine.

For more than half a century men had riddled the ground. The collapse was inevitable by the law of gravity. Jurymen sitting at the inquest into the death of Herman Magill, said: "We would strongly recommend that mine owners, managers and mining authorities use all vigilance in future and see to it that before anyone is permitted to enter any gold mine shaft, it is reasonably and practically safe as far as human knowledge and ability can judge."

Young Cricketer Scores Century

VANCOUVER, May 9 (P).—Basil Robinson, sixteen-year-old Vancouver Juniors cricketer, who scored 101 not out in the opening match of the Mainland season last Saturday, went even better today, scoring 113 not out in a match against Brockton "B."

Art Salt, senior of the Brockton Point eleven, also made a century today, scoring 103 not out as Brockton beat Bank of Commerce 233 to 97.

ANNUAL TRIBUTE IS HEAVY LOAD

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ployment. The money, as collected, passed through the channels of the Provincial departments, to the municipalities, and it was an easy matter for the Province to stop its progress. So it was that the sums that were considered by municipal governments as reliable sources of revenue dried up, just when they were most required.

PAYING TWICE

In this way the municipalities may well regard themselves as doubly paying the cost of past extravagances and uneconomic adventuring by former provincial administrations. The municipal taxpayer is also a contributor to the Provincial Treasury. He pays income tax, gas tax, amusement tax, and a host of other taxes and licences, and in his capacity as a municipal taxpayer he must assume the additional burden caused by the withdrawal of Provincial assistance.

A few illustrations will serve to show why the present Government, with the largest revenue in Provincial history, is unable to restore, at this time, the reductions made in contributions to the cities, towns, villages and rural municipalities of British Columbia.

LAND LOSSES

It was authoritatively stated by one competent to make the statement that the losses on various projects—net losses that the taxpayers of the province must assume—in respect of lands alone will be:

South Okanagan	$ 8,215,846.42
Sumas project	5,859,594.05
Land settlement schemes	10,991,663.93
Camp Lister	1,498,528.19
Merville	1,712,435.35
University lands	2,949,000.00
Total	$31,227,067.94

In the Okanagan Valley and other dry-belt areas of the Interior loans were made for irrigation purposes. From time to time the burden of these loans was shifted from the shoulders of those for whose direct benefit the commitments were made to those of the general taxpayer. The cost to the taxpayer, as a result, is estimated at $2,701,158.40, making, with $31,227,067.94 already listed, $33,928,226.34.

UNIVERSITY COSTS

When the University of British Columbia was planned, it was intended that this institution should not become a charge on the taxpayer. Two million acres of land were set aside for the building and maintenance of the university. These lands were in the Interior, now served by the P.G.E. Railway. Later, 3,000 acres at Point Grey were substituted for the Interior lands, and the public was again assured that the improvement and sale of this area would provide for the university and the construction of the buildings. It was estimated that the project would realize $15,000,000. It has cost that much to date, but not from the sources expected, but out of the taxpayers' pockets. Here are some figures to the end of 1931 as to costs:

University buildings (capital)	$ 3,760,004.38
Interest	488,040.45
Total	$ 4,248,044.83
Grants for maintenance	7,444,646.32
Total	$11,692,691.15

In these items the calculations do not include the total loss to the taxpayers to the time when the bonds covering capital outlay will be retired. The university lands losses have already been quoted in the summary of settlement project deficits. Adding the university costs to those incurred on land schemes and irrigation rebates, there is a total of $45,620,917.49.

This sum is sufficient to illustrate the argument being advanced, although the total could be enlarged by tens of millions of dollars. Here is the situation, then: It requires $72,000 to pay interest and sinking funds on $1,000,000. The annual cost on the $45,620,917 cited approximates $3,243,000—and that is not all by any means.

In trying to keep up interest and sinking funds when the depression appeared, the money that would ordinarily go to help the municipalities meet their obligations was stopped. Higher municipal taxation, failure to keep up municipal maintenance, land reversions and reductions in the upkeep of services were the inevitable results. In short, the municipalities have been called upon to pay for the extravagances and lack of business acumen of past provincial administrations, extending many years back.

Such is the general picture. It is a gloomy one, but it is a true one. Out of the $45,620,000 total used as an illustration, the expenditures on the Island include Merville and a portion of the land settlement debt. The total will not exceed $2,704,099.28, leaving $42,916,818 of the sum as representing expenditures on the Mainland. Yet Vancouver Island must pay one-third of the amount.

PER CAPITA LOAD

When the P.G.E. expenditures—and waste—the over-expenditures on roads and buildings and other extravagances are added, the statement that $100,000,000 of the public debt represents lack of economy and business acumen on the part of past administrations since Confederation would appear to be well within the mark. On such a sum the annual requirements for interest and sinking funds are $7,200,000, or $10 for every man, woman and child, including Indians, in British Columbia.

Proportionately with its higher revenue-producing powers, Vancouver Island residents must pay a larger percentage of this annual tribute to past excesses. Taking the Mainland population at 600,000 and the Island population at 120,000, it means then that the per capita charge is $8 on the Mainland while Island per capita tribute to the extravagances of former administrations is $20.

Is it any wonder, then, that the present Government has to turn a deaf ear to the plea of Island communities for assistance? Is it any wonder that there is no money to open up the Island to create replacing activities for the people in view of the decline in capital assets of Vancouver Island, as explained in previous articles in this series? Need there be astonishment that taxes in Island municipalities have to be increased? Above all, is it not apparent that there must be a complete new deal for Vancouver Island?

Dogs Solve Transportation Problem

Forced by Ill-Health to Live Outdoors, Karl Lindauer Is Seeking Recovery by Traveling 25,000 Miles in a "Covered Wagon" Drawn by Dogs That He Has Befriended. Lindauer Started With Two Animals and Now Has Eleven "Huskies" to Pull His Cart. He Is Shown Here at St. Gabriel, Cal.

FEARS WAR CERTAIN IF PEACE TALKS FAIL

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the Treaty of Versailles has tumbled down. Some seek to repair the structure. Others advocate new systems.

SOMETHING MUST BE DONE

All agree something must be done or there is danger, if not certainty, of another war.

Missolini, waging war in East Africa, but with 1,000,000 men in Europe ready to fight, sounded the alarm March 23. From his high balcony on the Palazzo Venezia, the Blackshirt dictator shouted to his legionnaires massed below a warning that went around the world.

War is coming, he declared, but "how and when, nobody can say."

BREAKDOWN OF LOCARNO

Intermittent war scares that passed without war have tended to calm fears. Breakdown of the Locarno Treaty caused statesmen to reveal new dangers.

The Locarno Treaty, signed by France, Belgium and Germany, in 1925, was guaranteed by Great Britain and Italy, who pledged themselves to aid any of the three against unprovoked aggression.

When Hitler, on March 7, denounced the treaty and sent his trops marching into the Rhineland, France manned her monster eastern frontier fortifications with more than 100,000 men.

Pierre-Etienne Flandin, French Foreign Minister, called on England and Italy for their promised "aid," but war if seriously contemplated, was asserted. Flandin, however, made veiled threats of "action."

Officials interpreted his threats as a possibility the French army might attempt to drive the German troops out of the demilitarized zone, a broad strip along the Rhine.

Weeks of political and diplomatic squabbling have revealed these sores.

FRANCE DISSAPOINTED

1. France charged England with abandoning her by failing to join in the French demand for quick "punishment" of Germany for moving troops closer to the French frontier.

2. English officials, privately, replied that France failed in her bargain to enforce wholeheartedly sanctions against Italy for invading Ethiopia. The English contended France weakened the war penalties by telling Mussolini publicly France still was Italy's friend.

3. Efforts by the League of Nations' conciliation committee to bring peace between Italy and Ethiopia collapsed, just as efforts by the Locarno signatories to adjudicate the Rhineland controversy concluded unsuccessfully in Hitler's flat rejection of British-sponsored security proposals.

SEEKS NEW PEACE BASIS

4. Anthony Eden, young British Foreign Minister, assumed the task of attempting to formulate a new European basis for peace and preparation of a questionnaire through which Germany could tell France just what she means to do.

5. Hitler, in tearing up the Locarno treaty, sought justification for his action in the Franco-Soviet pact by which the two powers promised to aid each other if another European nation attacked. Either Hitler construed the military treaty as directed against Germany.

At the same time he tossed another match at the powder barrel by reminding the Great War allies that Germany later would raise the question of return of her former colonies.

6. Austria, alarmed by the failure of the Locarno powers to prevent German armed occupation of the Rhineland, invoked a compulsory military and public works conscription law, abrogating the St. Germain peace treaty clause prohibiting military mobilization.

TURKEY GROWS RESTIVE

7. Turkey, bound not to refortify the Dardanelles by the Lausanne Treaty, dispatched a request for reconsideration of the prohibition and sent armed forces into the Strait.

8. Mussolini, angry at the League of Nations' "economic and financial siege," reminded France, Belgium and England he felt reluctant to help those countries, which voted sanctions against his own nation, to fight their diplomatic battles against Germany, a non-member of the League and consequently a non-participant in the sanctions.

9. The Little Entente—Czechoslovakia, Jugoslavia and Rumania—asked by Flandin what it would do if Hitler invaded Austria, retorted "What will you do?" French officials said the three smaller nations reminded France she might be unable to aid Austria against Germany if the Germans were allowed to fortify along the Rhine.

Just as France considers her eastern frontiers impregnable, so military authorities of many countries consider a small German force in a similar network of underground forts could hold off a French army that might try to relieve Austria by invading Germany.

POLAND IS BUFFER STATE

10. Polan, theoretically France's military ally, found herself a buffer state between Russia and Germany. Should the Franco-Soviet pact operate—if Germany attacks either of the signatories—Red Dictator Joseph Stalin's forces might pass through Poland.

Polish Foreign Minister Joseph Beck, openly cool to France at the recent London Locarno Conference, remembers that Poland was partly carved out of Old Russia by the peace treaty negotiations and that Soviet troops later invaded Poland, beaten back only when close to Warsaw.

11. The Soviets, with Japanese-Manchukuan power menacing their Asiatic borders, fear a German desire for the Ukraine, a great granary.

12. Hungary smarting under loss of land and power through results of the Great War, announced she also might ask the right to rearm.

Hitler's peace pronouncements failed and still fail to halt the European sword sharpening. Regardless of his words, his critics say, German rearmament constitutes a possible threat to Europe.

Political and military leaders who foresee war, disagree on where and how it may start.

Some think Hitler will reach for the fertile Ukraine. Others believe he will seek control of Austria, Hungary or the border strip of Czechoslovakia, where there are many Germans.

The Reichsfuehrer recently promised Poland he had not designs on the Polish Corridor, but few statesmen expect Germany to endure for long separation from East Prussia.

Since the war, the peace treaties have disintegrated. France calls it a German "nibbling" process, by which many of the peace terms have become obsolete.

Those Frenchmen who think Germany will "expand" into the front or back yards of other nations, reason that the Reich is likely to do things a little at a time, avoiding if possible acts of sufficient violence to stir other countries to war.

EMPIRE RETURNS BY PROCLAMATION

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squares of city and village Italians listened.

While the crowd in the square cheered Il Duce and the King, a Stefani (Italian) news agency communique announced an Italian column coming from Harar and commanded by General Navarra had occupied Diredawa this morning.

So great was the crush before the palace that many fainted and were removed by Red Cross attendants. A few blocks away, scores of police guarded the "sanctionist" British consulate.

EXPECTING TROUBLE

GENEVA, May 10 (AP).—A hardening view that sanctions against Italy should be maintained, even though Ethiopia is now vanquished, was reported by one League of Nations official tonight prior to tomorrow's troublous ninety-second session of the League Council.

Some nations, this official added, regarded Italy's move to annex outright as "pretty raw." He conceded however, that the business interests of many nations demanded a prompt lifting of the penalties of "aggression."

(In Paris the Ethiopian envoy, Wolde Mariam, announced he would go to Geneva tomorrow to plead for "justice against Italy." He said he was acting on orders from Ethiopia's "new secret capital" and claimed the Ethiopian Government still was functioning from this undisclosed seat.

(Ethiopians, he insisted, would continue to fight the Fascist invaders as long as "a single inch of land" is in their hands.)

TO SAVE AUTHORITY

Foreign Ministers of five Northern lands—Sweden, Norway, Denmark, the Netherlands and Finland—surveyed the situation and voiced the belief the League must continue to oppose aggression to save its own authority. They decided, however, to await Great Britain's disclosure of policy before determining their own collective stand on the continuance of sanctions. The Ministers expressed hope, also, that Germany would soon return to the League.

ATROCITY PHOTOGRAPHS

In mute portrayal of one important angle of the situation, the League on Saturday published photographs of Ethiopian boys, their heads, legs and chests swollen and blistered, allegedly by poison gas. The pictures were sent to Geneva by the Ethiopian Minister to Paris. He said they were taken by a Norwegian Red Cross unit.

Dr. A. J. Melley, Briton who was wounded fatally in the recent Addis Ababa rioting, wrote of mustard gas victims "blind and unable to find their way to the ambulance."

CORROSIVE SPRAY

Another letter, from a Danish correspondent, said Italians, flying low at Quoram, "sprayed a fine rain of corrosive liquid, which caused ghastly injuries to the heads and faces of Ethiopian soldiers and peasants."

One diplomat told the Associated Press: "More than anything else, the gas spectre will spur us to weave close the fabric of peace in Europe."

On the other hand, Italy reiterated to the League her contention that Ethiopian "atrocities" gave her the right to exercise reprisals, and agreed to an investigation of the poison gas charges by the International Red Cross.

Ethiopia claimed formally that false evidence of "atrocities" had been obtained by Italian bribes.

Flag Shows Many Sides To Loyalty

KALGAN, China, May 9 (AP).—The many-sided loyalty of the Mongols of Inner Mongolia is revealed by the flag adopted by the newly-established Mongolian Government in Northern Chahar. A blue field, the dominating color, represents Mongolia while three short perpendicular stripes of red, yellow and white symbolize China, Manchoukuo and Japan.

Large Contingent Of Athletes Will Compete in Games

BERLIN, May 9 (AP).—Final plans for the opening of the eleventh Olympiad here, August 1, were announced today. The youth of fifty-three nations, including Canada, will participate.

Actual participants in the games will number 5,500. Another 4,500 boys and girls will join in the colorful opening pageant. Four thousand of the visiting athletes will be quartered in the Olympic village. Sweden's 1,300 entrants head the list of foreign delegations.

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Flower and Bulb Show at Royal Oak Great Success

ROYAL OAK, May 9.—There was a large attendance at the annual Flower and Bulb Show held in the Royal Oak Institute Hall on Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Curtis Sampson declared the show open and complimented the exhibitors on their beautiful display. She also expressed her pleasure at being present among the members of the Institute, who had fulfilled their objective and had been the means of installing X-ray apparatus in the Solarium.

The flowers were judged by Mr. Whiteoak and three judges from the Normal School, V. L. Denton, John Gough, and Mrs. Nita E. Murphy, awarded the prizes in the school children's section, where many excellent and noval exhibits were on display, in charge of Mrs. Monckton.

A home-cooking stall, in charge of Miss D Hewitt and Mrs. Langrish, soon disposed of all their articles. Ice cream was sold by Mrs. Hoole and Mrs. Spicer, and children's wear and miscellaneous articles were sold by Mrs. Braithwaite and Mrs. Gilroy.

Tea cups were read by Madam Sybil, and afternoon tea was served by a committee consisting of Mrs. Reeves, Mrs. Coton, Mrs. Amos and Mrs. H. C. Oldfield. Mrs. A. Rankin was in receipt of custom.

At 5 o'clock Miss Oldfield announced the winners in each section and prizes were given out by Mrs. Jane Duval, a charter member of the institute and pioneer resident, who celebrated her seventy-ninth birthday last Saturday.

The prize winners were:

DIVISION I

Commercial Exhibit of Tulips (3 blooms each variety) — 1, Mrs. B. Hoole.

DIVISION II

Best Collection of Tulips—1, Mrs. Arnott; 2, Mrs. O. Reed.

Poeticus (Pheasant Eye), five blooms—1, Mrs. Hook; 2, Mrs. Pinhorn.

Poetaz—2, Mrs. Pinhorn.

Collection of Wallflowers—1, Mrs. Hersey; 2, Mrs. Ford.

Iris, tall, and dwarf—1, Mrs. H. H. Reed; 2, Mrs. Pinhorn.

Best Collection of Iris (any variety)—1, Mrs. H. H. Reed; 2, Mrs. C. A. Hersey.

Violas (twelve blooms)—1, Mr. B. Willoughby; 2, Mrs. Pinhorn.

Pansies (twelve blooms)—1, Mrs. W. Heal; 2, Mr. Gray.

Anemonies (six stems)—1, Mrs. Amos; 2, Mrs. Robinson.

Collection of Primroses, Polyanthus, and any other variety—1, Mrs. O. Reed; 2, Mrs. T. Hutchison.

Auriculas—Mrs. Pinhorn.

DIVISION III

Basket of Tulips, arranged with one or two other flowers—1, Mrs. Willoughby.

Bowl of Spring Flowers—1, Mrs. H. H. Reed; 2, Mrs. L. H. McQueen.

Basket of Lilac—1, Helen Phillips; 2, Mrs. W. Heal.

DIVISION IV

House Plant—1, Mrs. Oliver; 2, Mrs. H. H. Reed.

House Plant, flowering—2, Mrs. Mead-Robins.

DIVISION V

Special Collection of Spring Flowers (garden grown), not more than twelve varieties—1, Mrs. Pinhorn; 2, Mrs. H. H. Reed.

Best Decorated Table—1, Mrs. Hobbs; 2, Mrs. Willoughby.

Best Collection of Flowering Shrubs—1, Miss Arnott; 2, Mrs. Hersey. (These collections were highly commended).

DIVISION VI

Class B—Children Under 16 and Over 12

Collection of Wild Flowers, not more than three stems of each variety to be named—1, L. J. Willoughby.

Best Piece of Fancy Work — Gertrude Campbell.

Best Piece of Knitting or Crochet—Jennifer Hobbs.

Best Piece of Iced Layer Cake—Jim Willoughby.

Best Plate of Six Cookies—Herbert Hodgson.

Best Bird House — Percy Boorman.

Best Watercolor, original design—Nan Sharp.

Best Writing—Annie Fagerberg.

Best Miniature Rock Garden—J. Amos.

Best Poster—Jim Smith.

Best Model—Bill Stuthers.

Children 9 to 12

Best bowl of Wild Flowers—K. Willoughby.

Best Watercolor, original design—Bruce McMorran.

Best Writing—Mae Chu Dang.

Best Piece of Fancywork — K. Willoughby.

Best Home-Made Toy—Raymond Varney.

Best Dressed Doll—Helen Burgess.

Best Poster—Loraine Marson.

Best Iced Layer Cake—Kathleen Willoughby.

Best Plate of Six Cookies—Helen Phillips.

Grade I.

Best Dressed Doll—No entries.

Best Writing—Patsy Cory.

Best Drawing—Loraine Miles.

Best Picture made from cut paper—Muriel Curson.

Grade II

Best Dressed Doll—Loraine Miles.

Best Writing—Sue Wong.

Best Drawing—Susannah Chue.

Best Picture made from cut paper—Edward Campbell.

Grade III

Best Writing—Hazel Duval.

Best Painting—Irene Scott.

Best Dressed Doll—Louise Varney.

Best Home-Made Toy — Charlie Roberts.

Best Poster—Irene Scott.

Special prizes were awarded to K. Willoughby for miniature rock garden, and also for sewing; to Jack Williams for fancy wood work; to PJeter Roberts and Donald Hayward for fret-saw work, and to Kay Wong and Barbara Heal for writing.

Miss D. Hewitt and Alan Morkill were the winners in the drawing contests.

Six Generations of Scotties May Be Record

A World Record Is Claimed for Successive Generations of Living Dogs by Mrs. J. S. Foote, of San Diego, Cal. On the Left Is Foote's Lassie, Ten-Year-Old Great-Great-Great-Grandmother of Glenn O'Morena, Three Months Old, at the Extreme Right.

END CONNECTION WITH CHEMAINUS

Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Rogers Given Handsome Testimonials on Leaving Island Home

CHEMAINUS, May 9.—Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Robers severed their connection with Chemainus and district this week when they left for Victoria, where they will spend the Summer.

Owing to ill-health, the doctor resigned about two months ago from the position of medical superintendent and health officer at Chemainus, which position he has held for the past fourteen years. He was also here for a number of years prior to the war.

Owing to his ill health, no public recognition of his services could be made, but Dr. and Mrs. Rogers were given a beautiful scroll address from the hospital directors, and from the Victoria Lumber & Manufacturing Co. employees and general public they received a substantial cheque, together with a handsome book, bound in leather, containing the names of the donors.

COLUMBIA, S.C., May 9 (AP).—Let someone else figure out the mathematical chances of this happening again. Mrs. R. C. Light, one of a bridge foursome, said she shuffled. Mrs. Walter Atkinson cut. Mrs. John L. Ellis dealt, examined her hand and bid a grand slam in spades. Her partner, Mrs. Light, held thirteen diamonds. Mrs. Atkinson held all the hearts and Mrs. Harry Kirby all the clubs.

LANDS IN DOUGHNUTS THEN IN POLICE CELL

CHICAGO, May 9 (AP).—Edward Skorcz, thirty-five, was waiting for a street car at dawn yesterday. He looked in a doughnut shop window at Randolph and Dearborn streets, heart of the Loop Rialto, and became lost in reverie.

Suddenly, through the glass, he saw a car passing. Skorcz raced for the corner—right through the window. Police took him out of the doughnut display and led him to a cell.

MAGILL INTESTATE

TORONTO, May 9 (CP).—Herman Russell Magill, who died in the Moose River Gold Mine cave-in, from which Dr. D. E. Robertson and Alfred Scadding were rescued, left an estate of $39,842, mostly insurance. He left no will.

CONSERVATIVES CONVENE HERE

City and District Associations Will Get Into Action This Week

Several wards of Victoria and District Conservative Associations will be in action this week, to select delegates to the convention of the the party to be held at Vancouver, commencing on June 15. In addition, Dr. Frank Patterson, president of the British Columbia Conservative Association, accompanied by R. H. Pooley, K.C., M.P.P., will address one Island group.

Oak Bay Conservatives, Wards Six and Seven, will meet on Tuesday; Saanich Conservatives also on Tuesday; Ward Two on Wednesday, and Ward Four on Friday, each at the Conservative Rooms, Campbell Building, at 8 p.m.

ESQUIMALT MEETINGS

The southern section of the Esquimalt riding will be represented at a meeting of Esquimalt Conservatives at the Esquimalt headquarters, 829 Wellaston Street, on Wednesday evening. Five delegates will be chosen.

The northern section of the Esquimalt riding will choose five additional delegates on Thursday at a meeting called at the Shawnigan Lake Athletic Hall. It is at this meeting that Dr. Patterson and Mr. Pooley will speak. E. V. Finland will take the chair.

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ACTS IN 5 TO 10 SECONDS

How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON

TO HOLD A ROUND TABLE CONFERENCE

"Many nationals would sleep easier if their leaders indulged less in letter writing and speechifying and more in round table conferences," writes a contemporary historian.

The implications in the phrase "round table conferences" are deeper than some of us perhaps realize.

One of the difficulties besetting those who have to make seating arrangements is who shall be seated where — a headache particularly peculiar to diplomatic negotiations.

To obviate this situation, a genius suggested that all talks between political opponents be had about a round table.

Nobody being able to claim any preference in seating, nobody had an advantage over anybody else—and so everybody was on equal terms—theoretically, at least, happy.

One of the most famous round table conferences concerned the subject of home rule for Ireland.

In 1887, the leaders of the two factions of the Liberal party, which was being torn asunder by dissenters, sat about a round table and tried to agree—but could not.

CULBERTSON on CONTRACT

By Ely Culbertson

World's Champion Player and Greatest Card Analyst

HOW TO RESPOND TO A NO-TRUMP BID

When your partner opens the bidding with one no trump there are two things you must keep in mind.

1. Your partner has 4-3-3-3 distribution, the worst possible distribution in support of a trump suit.

2. Your average expectancy is game when the combined hands hold six honor tricks, or five and one-half honor tricks with many honor cards, or an easily established five-card or longer suit.

If you hold about one and one-half honor tricks you should raise to two no trump. Even with only one plus honor trick you should raise if your hand contains a five-card suit headed by at least the queen. For example, if your partner holds one no trump and you hold ♠ Q 8 6 5 3, ♥ A 7 2, ♦ 9 5 4, ♣ 8 3, you should bid two no trump. Likewise, raise to two no trump with ♠ 6 4 2, ♥ K 8 5 3, ♦ A 7 6, ♣ 8 5 2, or with ♠ A Q 6 4 3, ♥ 7 5, ♦ 8 6 4, ♣ 7 5 2.

Do not forget that when your hand contains a large number of honor cards, the honor trick requirement for any no trump bid or raise may be slightly reduced. Even one honor trick is enough for a raise if your hand contains four or more honor cards.

Thus, you raise your partner to two no trump holding ♠ Q J 3, ♥ Q 7 5 2, ♦ 8 6 4, ♣ Q 8 7.

A BIDDING PITFALL

Hands with enormous strength in honor tricks, but weak in distribution, offer bidding pitfalls that only the wary can avoid. Here is one of them, culled from a recent tournament.

South, dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ Q J 10
♥ 9 7 2
♦ 8 5 4
♣ A K 9 3

WEST
♠ 5 2
♥ Q J 10 5
♦ J 10 7 6
♣ 8 5 2

EAST
♠ 8 6 4 3
♥ 6 4
♦ Q 3 2
♣ Q J 10 8

SOUTH
♠ A K 9 7
♥ A K 8 3
♦ A 9
♣ 7 4

Some of the best players reached unmakeable slams. In a few cases the South hand was opened with a two bid, the six honor tricks proving irresistable. With that opening a slam contract hardly could be avoided.

But even some of the Souths that properly started with a bid of one spade reached a slam by later over-enthusiasm. North had slightly too much to bid one no trump. A single raise in spades was chosen as the best response in every case. After that there were different bids at almost every table. Some Souths made an asking bid in clubs and, getting a positive answer, unwarrantedly went to a slam. Others jumped in hearts and refused to be slamed off short of six odd.

Actually, despite the imposing array of aces and kings, South has no right, on a single raise from partner, to contract for twelve tricks. It is true that North's distribution is unfavorable, but it must be noted that he could have his raise on many other and better distributions, without both the ace and king of clubs. He might have ♠ 8 6 5 3, ♥ 9, ♦ Q J 8, ♣ A 10 6 5 2 or ♠ Q J 8 6, ♥ 9 5 4, ♦ 6 3, ♣ A 10 6 2.

These, as well as numerous other combinations, certainly would justify a single spade raise, but would not produce a slam.

Despite his six honor tricks, South should have been contented with a game!

TODAY'S QUESTION

Question: What is the proper response to partner's vulnerable one no trump opening bid when the responder holds: ♠ K J 8 6 5 3, ♥ 7 4, ♦ Q 6 2, ♣ 5 3?

Answer: Two no trump. Since partner has announced a 4-3-3-3 distribution, the hand probably will play just as well in no trump for a nine-trick game.

TUESDAY'S HAND

South, dealer.
North-South vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ 6 2
♥ A 9 6
♦ Q 8 7
♣ A 10 8 5 4

WEST
♠ None
♥ K Q J 5 4 2
♦ J 10 3
♣ Q 9 7 6

EAST
♠ A K J 7 5
♥ 10 8 7 3
♦ 6
♣ K J 2

SOUTH
♠ Q 10 9 8 4 3
♥ None
♦ A K 9 5 4 2
♣ 3

Mr. Culbertson will discuss this hand in Tuesday's article.

REINFORCEMENTS TAKEN BY PLANES

CAIRO, Egypt, May 9 (AP).—Authoritative sources said last night two companies of infantry, totaling 300 men, were sent to Palestine as reinforcements for troops at Jerusalem and other cities.

The soldiers left in Royal Air Force planes. They are to be added to existing British police forces in the Holy Land to guard against further outbreaks between Jews and Arabs.

The normal Palestine garrison of British troops consists of 1,970 men of all ranks, including two battalions of infantry totaling 1,766 men.

That Body of Yours

(By James W. Barton, M.D.)

NEW MODELS IN DIET

Some years ago the success of the treatment of a patient with tuberculosis was measured by the amount of weight (mostly fat) that he had accumulated during his stay in the sanitorium. Patients were sent home weighing actually more than they had ever weighed before. After a few weeks or months at home the fat, in many cases, began to disappear, there was great loss of strength, the symptoms returned and the patient returned to the sanitorium.

This induced the sanitorium officials to give patients a little work or exercise, gradually increasing the amount until the patient was able to be on his feet doing light work for about five hours a day. This "hardened up" the patient and when he returned home he was better able to prevent a return of the symptoms of tuberculosis.

Today we find that just as fat is a handicap to the average healthy individual, so also is "too much" fat a handicap to the tuberculosis patient. Many fat people have thin blood. A little extra fat is considered safe or even advisable, but a great amount of fat interferes with heart action and with the circulation of the blood.

The thought now is to feed the tuberculous patient with an all-round diet — plenty of meat, eggs, milk, leafy vegetables, butter, cream, and cod liver oil when it agrees with the patient.

Perhaps the biggest advance in the treatment of various diseases is allowing the patient to not only eat more food but to eat the kinds of foods he likes as much as possible.

Dr. Clarence W. Lieb, in Hygeia, speaks of he "new models in diet." In typhoid fever the patient is now given plenty of nourishing foods where he was formerly starved. Meat is now given in rheumatism, in Bright's disease (inflammation of the kidneys) and in high blood pressure. Starchy foods are now given to diabetic patients. "Many present-day grandmothers are probably startled when they see their three-month-old grandchild being fed carrots, tomato juice, scraped beef and minced liver."

In other words, the patient himself with his likes, and his body needs, is given first consideration; the nourishing foods give him the strength physically and so raise his spirits and morale that he is better able to fight off the ailment.

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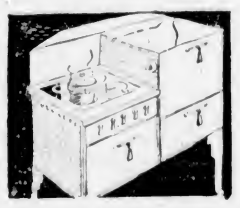

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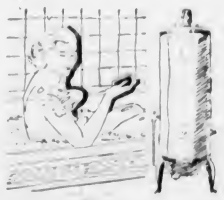

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AROUND the DIAL

TODAY

8.44 a.m.—Over both N.B.C.-red network and the Columbia chain, King Carol of Rum ia, one of the most colorful of all European kings, will speak from Bucharest, during his special broadcast marking the fifty-fifth year of independence. KOL, KVI, KOMO.

10 a.m.—Child prodigies will be featured during the "Magic Key" programme to be broadcast by the N.B.C.-blue chain. Ruggerio Ricci, fifteen-year-old violinist, and the Abbe children, John, Patience, and Richard, authors and world travelers, will broadcast. Erna Sack, soprano of the Dresden Opera Company, will sing from Dresden; Xavier Cugat and his rhumba orchestra will be heard in their typical dance rhythms, and the Masque and Wig Club of the University of Pennsylvania in a short act will complete the guest billing. Frank Black and the N.B.C. Symphony Orchestra and Milton J. Cross, as master of ceremonies, with Ben Grauer as assistant, will also be heard. KJR.

11 a.m.—Personalizing the news of the past week, Gilbert Seldes will continue his weekly programmes entitled "You" over the N.B.C.-blue network. KJR.

1 p.m.—A fast-moving story of fighting and the "fixed fighting" racket, under the title of "A Can of Tobacco" will be related by Colonel Rod during the "Castle Vagrant" dramatization on this "Gray Special" programme. An incident in the life of Franz Liszt will be dramatized on the "Song of Life" portrayal on this N.B.C.-red network programme. KOMO.

2 p.m.—Pipe Band in Montreal under the direction of J. J. Gangnier, the Canadian Grenadier Guards will broadcast the following programme over the combined networks of C.R.C. and the B.C.-red chain: "Sylvia" by Oley Speaks; Gratulla's "Washington Grays"; Adams' "If I Were King"; two Canadian marches and regimental bugle calls and march pasts. KOMO, CRCV.

5:30 p.m.—Walter Winchell and his Broadway stories. KJR.

5.45 p.m.—Beatrice Hagen, 1936 Hollywood "Baby Radio Star," will be Paul Whiteman's guest on the "Musical Varieties" show. KJR.

6 p.m.—Helen Gleason, soprano; Helen Oelheim, mezzo-soprano; Carlo Morelli, baritone, and Armand Tokatyan, tenor, known as the Metropolitan Quartette, will be guest stars on this N.B.C.-red chain programme starring Erno Rapee's symphony orchestra. The "Quartette from the Finale of Act I" from "Martha" by Flotow; "Rudolfo's Narative" from "La Boheme" by Puccini (by Tokatyan); "Solenne in quest ora" from "La Forza del Destino" by Verdi (a duet by Tokatyan and Morelli); "Micaela's Air" from Bizet's "Carmen" (by Miss Gleason); "Eri tu" from Bizet's "The Masked Ball" (by Morelli) and the "Quartette" from "Rigoletto" by Verdi, is the programme prepared for the singers. Better-known classical compositions will be played by the orchestra. KOMO.

6.30 p.m.—The Columbia chain will inaugurate a programme in which the audience will take part. This programme, directed by John Barclay, is titled "Community Sing" and will be a rollicking half-hour show in which the audience will be invited to join in the sing. KOL, KVI, KSL.

7 p.m.—Eddie Cantor and his company in another bright half-hour show. KOL, KVI, KSL.

7:30 p.m.—Jack Benny and his company broadcasting their lively show from Detroit. KOMO.

8 p.m.—Musical nonsense by Jack Hilton's orchestra, featuring Pat O'Malley, Effie Atherton, Peggy Dell, the Merry Macs and Alex Templeton, will be heard on this programme, "the shortest half-hour in radio." KOMO.

MONDAY

5 p.m.—Irene Dunne, singing star of Hollywood, will play the leading role in a "Radio Theatre" dramatization of "Bitter Sweet," by Noel Coward. KOL, KVI, KSL.

6 p.m.—"Armless Pete, the Two-Gun Man" or "You Cur, Sir," a rip-roaring drama of the great open spaces, will be the high spot of the "Carefree Carnival" broadcast over the N.B.C.-blue network. KJR.

7 p.m.—Sport Announcer Bill Coyle will broadcast a half-hour blow by blow description of the featherweight championship bout between Freddie Miller, titleholder, and Petey Sarron, contender, from Washington over the N.B.C.-blue chain. KJR.

7.30 p.m.—Dennsmore's "If God Only Left You"; Tschaikosvsky's "None but the Lonely Heart" and "O Promise Me" from De Koven's "Robin Hood," will be solos of Nelson Eddy, when he broadcasts as the "Voice of Firestone." With Margaret Speaks, soprano, he will sing Thomas' "Night Hymn at Sea." KOMO.

9 p.m.—The Colonist news. CFCT.

9:30 p.m.—Douglas Beattie, bass-baritone, will be heard in another half-hour recital over the N.B.C.-blue network. He will sing varied opera and concert selections. KJR.

10.30 p.m.—Bob Beale and his orchestra will play a limited engagement at the Mark Hopkins Hotel in San Francisco and the music will be broadcast nightly by the N.B.C.-red chain at this time. KOMO.

Sunday's Programme

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (1,250 kcys)

11.00 a.m.—Christ Church Cathedral.
12.30 p.m.—Interval of Classics.
1.00 p.m.—Mother's Day Programme.
4.00 p.m.—Sunday Afternoon Concert.
4.15 p.m.—The Scrap-Book.
4.30 p.m.—Christian Science Programme.
7.00 p.m.—Pentecostal Assembly.
8 p.m.—Gospel Sunshine.
7.00 p.m.—Miniature Concert.
7.30 p.m.—Christ Church Cathedral.
8.45 p.m.—Evening Reveries.

CRCV, Vancouver, B.C. (1,100 kcys)

2.00 p.m.—See C.R.C. Network, except:
9.00 p.m.—Home Hour of Music.

KNX, Hollywood (1,050 kcys)

8.00 p.m.—Hollywood Swing Parade.
6.30 p.m.—Rev. H. E. Fuller.
7.30 p.m.—Salmon Lubovski, violinist, and Claire Melonino, piano.
8.00 p.m.—Presbyterian Church.
9.00 p.m.—News Flashes.
9.15 p.m.—Larry Lee's Orchestra.
9.30 p.m.—The Crockett Family.
10.30 p.m.—Larry Lee Orchestra.

C.R.C. NETWORK

2.00 p.m.—Band of H.M. Grenadier Guard, director, J. J. Gaunier, Montreal.
2.30 p.m.—Dr. H. L. Stewart—Reviews the News.
2.45 p.m.—Dorothy Jean Thorpe, pianist, Calgary.
3.00 p.m.—Crinolines, mixed quartette, director, Ernest Dainty, Toronto.
3.30 p.m.—La Ville Mission, Montreal.
4.00 p.m.—The World Dances, Lud Gluskin's Orchestra (CBS, New York).
4.30 p.m.—Garden of Melody, string group, director, W. Knlight Wilson.
5.00 p.m.—L'Heure Symphonique, director, Charles O'Neill, Quebec.
5.30 p.m.—Blue Pacific Moonlight, director, Percy Harvey, with Jean de Manmanoff, violinist, Vancouver.
6.00 p.m.—News (B.C. Network).
6.00 p.m.—Mirror of Melody, directory, Geoffrey Waddington, Helene Morton and Adolph Wantroff, Toronto (B.C. 8.15).
6.30 p.m.—Chasing Shadows, Dixie Stewart, Dorothy Norton, pianists, Calgary.
6.45 p.m.—Canadian Press News and Weather, Toronto.
7.00 p.m.—Time Signal, Ottawa.
7.00 p.m.—Atlantic Nocturne, Allan Reid, organ, Leon Rolkoroitsky, violin, J. Frank Willie, readings, Halifax.
7.30 p.m.—Sweet and Low, Mart Kenney's Orchestra, Art Hallman, tenor, Vancouver.
8.00 p.m.—Love, Laugh and Love, orchestra, soloist, director, Count Prazvada, Winnipeg.
8.30 p.m.—Dr. Fenwood, Allan Caron, organist, Winnipeg.
9.00 p.m.—In the Old Chateau, string quartette, Winnipeg (not CRCV).
10.00 p.m.—News (B.C. Network).
10.15 p.m.—The Deacon's Cottage, Vancouver (B.C. Network).

N.B.C. KPO RED NETWORK

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8.00 a.m.—Major Bowes' Capitol Family.
——Waldo Mayo, conductor, Nicholas Consentino, Helen Alexander, Roy Campbell's Royalists, Joey Nash.
8.30 a.m.—University of Chicago Round Table Talks.
8.44 a.m.—Address by Kina Carol of Rumania.
9.00 a.m.—Josef Honti's Salon Orchestra.
9.30 a.m.—Joan and the Escorts, singers.
9.45 a.m.—Harold Nagle's Rumba Orchestra.
10.00 a.m.—Walter Losan's Pop Concert.
11.15 a.m.—Ann Jamison, soprano.
11.30 a.m.—Ed Venosa Montanaerts, Zora Layman, songs; Field and Hall, pianists.
12.00 noon—The Widow's Sons, drama, with Lucille La Verne.
12.30 p.m.—A Capella Choir, director, Noble Cain.
1.00 p.m.—Sunday Special, drama by Clifton E. Morse, Hazel Warner, contralto, actors, violin, organ.
2.00 p.m.—Catholic Hour, Mediavellits Choir.
2.45 p.m.—Benno Rabinoff, violinist, Bertha Rich, pianist.
3.00 p.m.—K-7, Secret Service spy story.
3.30 p.m.—Robert L. Ripley, Ozzie Nelson's Orchestra, Harriet Hilliard, songs.
4.00 p.m.—Major Bowes' Amateur Hour.
5.00 p.m.—Manhattan Merry Go Round, Rachel Carlay, Rodney McLennan, Meet About Town, Andy Sanella's Orchestra.
5.30 p.m.—Album of Familiar Music, Frank Munn, Lucy Monroe, Arden and Arden, Bertrand Hirsch, Guslave Haenschen's Orchestra.
6.00 p.m.—General Motors Concert, guest soloist and concert orchestra, director, Erno Rapee.
7.00 p.m.—Morin Sisters and Ranch Boys, Don McNeill, M.C.
7.30 p.m.—Jack Benny, Mary Livingstone, Johnny Green's Orchestra, Kenny Baker, vocalist.
8.00 p.m.—Jack Hylton's Continental Revue, John O'Malley, tenor, Alec Templeton, piano.
8.30 p.m.—One Man's Family, Carlton E. Morse drama.
9.00 p.m.—John Nesbitt's Passing Parade.
9.15 p.m.—Jesse Hawkin's Orchestra.
9.15 p.m.—Seven Star Special, Williams Shakespeare, (KPO).
9.30 p.m.—Paul Levant's Orchestra.
10.00 p.m.—News Flashes, Sam Hayes.
10.15 p.m.—Bridge to Dreamland, Paul Carson, organist.
11.00 p.m.—Beaux Arts Trio, instrumental.
11.30 p.m.—Jack Meakin's Music.

N.B.C. KGO BLUE NETWORK

KGO-KJR-KEX-KECA-KGA

8.00 a.m.—Happy Jack, songs.
8.15 a.m.—The Rangers, vocal, instrumental.
8.30 a.m.—Radio City Music Hall Symphony, director, Erno Rapee, guest artists.
9.00 a.m.—The Magic Key of R.C.A., guest artists, orchestra, director, Frank Black, John B. Kennedy, Milton J. Cross, M.C.
11.00 a.m.—Gilbert Seldes, raconteur, "You."
11.15 a.m.—Joe Venuti's Orchestra.
11.45 a.m.—Henri Deersna, concert pianist.
12.00 noon—National Vespers, Dr. Poslick.
12.30 p.m.—Senator Fishface and Professor Pissabottle, comedian, Olga Vernon, Cavalier Quartette.
1.45 p.m.—Edward Voit, bass, George Ross, violin.
2.00 p.m.—Canadian Grenadier Guards Band, director Dr. J. J. Gagner.
2.30 p.m.—South Sea Islanders.
3.00 p.m.—Reflections, instrumental.
4.00 p.m.—Emil Polak Orchestra, Annette Hastings, Ralina Zarova.
5.00 p.m.—Piano Patter, Jeane Cowan, contralto, Gertrude Lyne, Otto Clare, pianists.
5.30 p.m.—Walter Winchell, Broadway Gossip.
5.45 p.m.—Paul Whiteman's Musical Varieties, Ramona, Roy Bargy, Durelle Alexander, Bob Lawrence, King's Men, Johnny Hauser.
6.30 p.m.—Dreams of Lona Aso, Ethel Parks Richardson, song dramatization.
7.00 p.m.—Twin City Foursome, male quartette.
7.10 p.m.—News Flashes.
7.15 p.m.—Palace Hotel Ensemble, instrumental.
7.30 p.m.—El Chico Spanish Revue.
8.00 p.m.—Rudy Seiger's Orchestra.
8.30 p.m.—Carl Ravazza's Orchestra.
9.00 p.m.—Bitting Time, director, Emil Polak.
9.30 p.m.—Reader's Guide, Clinton Twiss.
10.00 p.m.—Tom Brown's Orchestra.
10.30 p.m.—Bobby Meeker's Orchestra.
11.00 p.m.—Charles Runyan, organist.

C.B.S.-DON LEE NETWORK

KVI-KFRC-KOIN-KSL-KOL

8.00 a.m.—Salt Lake City Tabernacle organ and choir, Utah.
8.30 a.m.—Romany Trail.
8.45 a.m.—C.B.S.-B.B.C. News Exchange, Gerald Barry, London.
9.00 a.m.—Church of the Air.
9.30 a.m.—Poet's Gold, David Rollo.
9.45 a.m.—Eddie Dunstedter Entertains.
10.00 a.m.—French Trio, instrumental.
10.30 a.m.—St. Louis Blues.
11.00 a.m.—Everybody's Music, director, Howard Barlow.
12.00 noon—Songs of Russia, director, Vladimir Heifetz.
12.30 p.m.—American War Mothers.
1.00 p.m.—Dream Avenue (KOL).
1.15 p.m.—Russell Brown's Harmonettes.
1.30 p.m.—Two Piano Team.
2.00 p.m.—Hour of Charm, director, Phillip Spitalny.
2.30 p.m.—Smilin' Ed McConnell, songs.
2.45 p.m.—Walks of Life.
3.00 p.m.—Paul Kenat, baritone, Gaylord Carter, organist.
3.30 p.m.—Annals of the Aces.
4.00 p.m.—The World Dances, Lud Gluskin (KOL).
4.30 p.m.—To be announced.
5.00 p.m.—Ford Symphony, director, Victor Kolar.
6.00 p.m.—Terror by Night, drama.
6.30 p.m.—John Barclay's Community Sing.
7.00 p.m.—Eddie Cantor, Jimmy Wallington, Parkyakarkus, Louis Greene, Orchestra.
7.30 p.m.—Voice of Experience, human problems.
7.45 p.m.—Tommy Dorsey's Orchestra.
8.00 p.m.—Frank Dailey's Orchestra.
8.30 p.m.—Bela Schaefer's Orchestra.
9.00 p.m.—Phillip Crane, organist.
9.30 p.m.—University Explorer.
10.00 p.m.—To be announced.
10.30 p.m.—Nocturnal Serenade.
11.00 p.m.—Ellis Kimball's Orchestra.
11.15 p.m.—Gaylord Carter, organist.

Monday's Programme

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (1,450 kcys)

7.00 a.m.—Rise and Shine.
8.00 a.m.—Timely Topics.
8.30 a.m.—Chimes of the Times.
8.45 a.m.—Let's Go Places with Eric Marshall.
9.00 a.m.—Morning Moods.
9.15 a.m.—Match of Time.
9.30 a.m.—Hugh Alan's Financial Flashes.
9.40 a.m.—Song Souvenirs.
10.00 a.m.—Road to Happiness.
10.15 a.m.—Health Kelbyvrams.
10.30 a.m.—Art Farey at the Piano.
11.00 a.m.—Tango Time.
11.15 a.m.—The Scrapbook.
11.30 a.m.—Classic Album.
12.15 p.m.—World Book Man "Wars Were Ancient Battles Unbreakable."
12.20 p.m.—John McCormack.
12.30 p.m.—Would Flashes.
12.45 p.m.—Waltz Time.
1.00 p.m.—Daily Monitor.
1.30 p.m.—Radio Birthday Party.
6.15 p.m.—Music Lovers Corner.
6.45 p.m.—"The Covered Wagon."
7.00 p.m.—Sundown.
7.30 p.m.—Organ Serenades.
8.00 p.m.—Evening Musicale.
8.15 p.m.—Cecil F. Boulter, pianist.
8.30 p.m.—Rendezvous.
9.00 p.m.—Colonist Radio Reporter.

CRCV, Vancouver, B.C. (1,100 kcys)

4.30 p.m.—Recorded Programme.
5.00 p.m.—See C.R.C. Network, except:
7.45 p.m.—B.C. Electric Farm Talk.
9.30 p.m.—Dr. Lyle Telford.

KNX, Hollywood (1,050 kcys)

6.30 p.m.—Perry Lane and Orchestra.
6.45 p.m.—Jimmie Allen's Air Adventures.
7.00 p.m.—Elmer Goes to Hollywood.
7.15 p.m.—House in the Sun, drama.
7.30 p.m.—The Newlyweds, comedy.
7.45 p.m.—King Cowboy, songs.
8.00 p.m.—Character Analysis.
8.15 p.m.—Masters of Music.
8.30 p.m.—Martin Luther Thomas.
8.45 p.m.—Townsend Plan.
9.00 p.m.—News Flashes.
9.15 p.m.—Musical Moments.
9.30 p.m.—Epic League.
9.45 p.m.—The Crockett Family.
10.30 p.m.—Marshall Grant, organ.
11.00 p.m.—Pete Pontrelli's Orchestra.
12.00 m.—Trans-Pacific News.

C.R.C. NETWORK

5.00 p.m.—Show Shop Bonus, instrumental, vocal, St. John.
5.30 p.m.—See C.R.C. Network.
5.30 p.m.—Tribute to a Song, director, Percy Faith, drama by Rupert Lucas, Toronto (B.C. 5.45).
6.00 p.m.—With Banners Flying, director, Giuseppe Acostini, Imperial Grenadiers male quartette, Montreal.
6.30 p.m.—Geoff Waddington's Orchestra, Toronto.
6.45 p.m.—Canadian Press News and Weather, Toronto.
7.00 p.m.—Time Signal, Ottawa.
7.00 p.m.—Across the Border, New York.
7.30 p.m.—Lullaby Lane, director, Reinald Hesenhouzen (CRCV-CHWK off 7.45).
8.00 p.m.—Neighbors of Beaver Bend, dramatic serial, Winnipeg.
8.35 p.m.—Lawrence Mendy, organ, vocal recital, Fort William.
8.45 p.m.—Hick Reader, James Stuart Wood, Prince Albert.
9.00 p.m.—Red River Chapter, old time director, Blue Hotel Winnipeg.
10.00 p.m.—News (B.C. Network).
10.15 p.m.—Mirror of Melody, concert sketch, Alan and Jane Houghton, Vaudeville Revue.
10.30 p.m.—Modern Dance Orchestra, Worcester (B.C. Network).

N.B.C. KPO RED NETWORK

KHQ-KGW-KFI-KPO-KOMO

8.00 a.m.—Merry Madcaps, Clinton's Orchestra.
9.15 a.m.—Thurston Dance Orchestra.
10.00 a.m.—Education Parade.
11.00 a.m.—Forever Young, Curtis Arnall, sketch.
11.15 a.m.—Ma Perkins, drama, Virginia Payne.
11.30 a.m.—Vic and Sade, household comedy.
11.45 a.m.—The O'Neills, dramatic.
12.00 noon—Betty and Bob, dramatic sketch.
12.30 p.m.—Happy Jack, songs.
12.45 p.m.—Grandpa Burton, humorous sketch.
1.00 p.m.—Top Hatters, dance orchestra.
1.30 p.m.—Lee Gordon's Orchestra.
2.00 p.m.—Woman's Magazine of the Air.
3.00 p.m.—Harl Smith's Orchestra.
3.30 p.m.—Connie Gates, contralto.
3.45 p.m.—Langendorf Pictorial, Rush Hughes.
4.00 p.m.—Fibber McGee and Molly, comedy.
4.30 p.m.—Feminine in Paris, Picken Sisters, Mark Warnow, Orchestra.
5.00 p.m.—Variety with Carlyn Dobbs.
5.30 p.m.—Raymond Rombera, Lionel Barrymore.
6.00 p.m.—Contented Programme, Lullaby Lady, orchestra, director, Morgan L. Eastman.
6.30 p.m.—Opportunity Parade (KPO-KFI).
6.30 p.m.—Russ Morgan's Orchestra.
7.00 p.m.—Amos 'n' Andy.
7.15 p.m.—Lum and Abner, comedy.
7.30 p.m.—Voice of Firestone, opera star soloists.
8.00 p.m.—Hawthorne House, drama.
8.30 p.m.—Rudy Vallee's Orchestra.
9.00 p.m.—Phil Levant's Orchestra.
9.15 p.m.—Book Parade (KPO).
9.30 p.m.—Carl Schreiber's Orchestra.
10.00 p.m.—News Flashes, Sam Hayes.
10.15 p.m.—Ben Alexander, Hollywood Boulevardier.
10.30 p.m.—Bob Beale's Orchestra.
11.00 p.m.—George Olsen's Orchestra.
11.30 p.m.—Reveries, instrumentalists.

N.B.C. KGO BLUE NETWORK

KGO-KJR-KEX-KECA-KGA

8.00 a.m.—Hour of Memories, U.S. Navy Band.
9.00 a.m.—Joan and Escorts.
9.30 a.m.—The New World, speakers.
11.30 a.m.—Western Farm and Home Hour, talks, Wilbur Hall serial; Josef Hornik's Orchestra.
12.30 p.m.—How to Be Charming, beauty talk.
12.45 p.m.—Rosa Graham, baritone.
1.00 p.m.—Let's Talk It Over, Emily Post, Anne Hard, authors, Alma Kitchell, contralto, M.C.
1.45 p.m.—Tenor, soprano, piano duo.
2.00 p.m.—U.S. Army Band, director, Captain T. P. Darcy.
2.25 p.m.—Mickey Gillette, saxophonist.
2.35 p.m.—Answer Me This.
2.45 p.m.—Three Scamps, vocal trio.
3.00 p.m.—Martha Mears, contralto.
3.15 p.m.—Life Insurance Week.
3.30 p.m.—John Herrick, baritone.
4.00 p.m.—Reflections, Gwynfi Jones, tenor, instrumental.
4.30 p.m.—Beaux Arts Trio, instrumental.
5.00 p.m.—Blue Prelude, Nola Day conductor, Gertrude Lyne, Otto Clare pianists.
6.00 p.m.—Carefree Carnival, variety, Tommy Harris, guests, Ned Tollinger, M.C., Jack Meakin's Orchestra.
6.30 p.m.—Safety First, speaker (KGO).
6.30 p.m.—National Radio Forum, speakers.
6.45 p.m.—Air Adventures of Jimmy Allen (KGO).
7.00 p.m.—Bowling Matches.
7.30 p.m.—Glen Gray's Orchestra.
8.00 p.m.—Gold Rush Days, Louise Taber (KGO).
8.00 p.m.—Sigardo and his violin.
8.15 p.m.—Frank Watanabe, sketch.
8.30 p.m.—Phil Ohman's Orchestra.
9.00 p.m.—Powder, Puff Review, Jack Meakin's Orchestra.
9.30 p.m.—Douglas Beattie, bass-baritone, music, Williams' Sisters.
10.00 p.m.—Ben Wilson's Orchestra.
10.30 p.m.—Emmy Ortiz's Orchestra.
11.00 p.m.—Sons of Candle Light, Tommy Harris, Paul Carson, organist.

C.B.S.-DON LEE NETWORK

KVI-KFRC-KOIN-KSL-KOL

8.00 a.m.—Voice of Firestone, human problems.
8.15 a.m.—Musical Reveries, Stuart Churchill.
8.30 a.m.—Story of Mary Marlin, drama.
8.45 a.m.—Pica-Star Jones, dramatic.
9.00 a.m.—Matinee Memories.
9.30 a.m.—Between the Bookends, Ted Malone.
10.00 a.m.—The Goldbergs, Gertrude Berg, drama.
10.30 a.m.—Mystery Melodies, variety.
11.00 a.m.—Annual Dad's Club Convention.
11.15 a.m.—Milton Charles, organist.
11.30 a.m.—American Medical Association (KOL).
11.45 a.m.—Honeyboy Hon.
12 noon—Concert Miniatures (KOL).
12.30 p.m.—Chicago Variety.
1.00 p.m.—Jack Shannon, tenor.
1.15 p.m.—Michigan Boulevardians, dance music.
1.45 p.m.—Wilderness Road, drama.
2.00 p.m.—The Chieasaonas.
2.15 p.m.—University of California Programme (KVI).
2.00 p.m.—Feminine Fancies.
3.30 p.m.—Ted Husing and the Charioteers.
4.00 p.m.—Fleana Moncak Ensemble.
4.15 p.m.—Herbert Foote, organist.
4.30 p.m.—Henry Halstead's Orchestra.
5.00 p.m.—Radio Theatre with guest star.
6.00 p.m.—Wayne King's Orchestra.
6.30 p.m.—March of Time.
6.45 p.m.—Public Opinion.
7.00 p.m.—Jack Denny's Orchestra.
7.15 p.m.—Renfrew of the Mounted, serial.
7.30 p.m.—One Night Stands, with Dick and Pat.
8.00 p.m.—Goose Creek Parson.
8.30 p.m.—Hawaii Calls.
9.00 p.m.—Aida Ruffin with organ.
10.00 p.m.—Dick Jergens's Orchestra.
10.30 p.m.—Merle Carlson's Orchestra.
11.00 p.m.—Dick Jergen's Orchestra.
11.30 p.m.—Emil Baffa's Orchestra.

SHORT WAVE

All Pacific Standard Time

Sunday's Programme

LONDON

3.50 p.m.—Bells and An Empire Service from St. Paul's Cathedral, London. GSD, 25.5 m., 11.75 mcs. GSC, 31.3 m., 9.58 mcs., or GSA, 49.5 m., 6.05 mcs.
6.00 p.m.—The International Staff Band of the Salvation Army. GSD, 25.5 m., 11.75 mcs., or GSC, 31.3 m., 9.58 mcs.

EINDHOVEN, NETHERLANDS

4.00 p.m.—Special transmission for Central and South America. PCJ, 31.28 m., 9.59 mcs.

MOSCOW

1.00 p.m.—Review of the Week, questions and answers, news bulletins. RNE, 50 m., 6 mcs.

PARIS

5.10 p.m.—Theatrical programme. TPA4, 25.6 m., 11.72 mcs.

BERLIN

5.30 p.m.—The Berlin Mozart Choir of 60 boys and girls. DJD, 25.4 m., 11.77 mcs.

CARACAS

6.30 p.m.—Musical Review. YV3RC, 51.7 m., 5.8 mcs.

Monday's Programme

HUIZEN, NETHERLANDS

8.55 a.m.—Light opera music. PHI, 16.88 m., 17.73 mcs.

MOSCOW

8.35 a.m.—Opera, with explanations in English. RNE, 50 m., 6 mcs.

TOKIO

1.00 p.m.—Japanese music and comment. JVM, Nazaki, 27.0 m., 10.74 mcs.

MOSCOW

1.00 p.m.—Today's Anniversary: "The Organization of the Red Guard in Petrograd." A broadcast planned by a woman listener. RNE, 50 m., 6 mcs.

ROME

3.00 p.m.—News bulletins in English from Milan, opera, "Iris," by Pietro Mascagni. Talk by H. E. Prof. Francesco Orestano, philosopher, Italian representative on League Polemics and Italy's Revenue." Piano concert. 2RO, 31.1 m., 9.63 mcs.

BERLIN

3.15 p.m.—New German light music. DJD, 25.4 m., 11.77 mcs.

MADRID

3.45 p.m.—Light Spanish music. EAQ, 30.5 m., 9.87 mcs.

LONDON

4.10 p.m.—A Recital of Old French Songs by Bophie Wyss (soprano). GSD, 25.5 m., 11.75 mcs. (GSC, 31.3 m., 9.58 mcs., or GBA, 49.5 m., 6.05 mcs.)

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AROUND the DIAL

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8.44 a.m.—Over both N.B.C.-red network and the Columbia chain, King Carol of Rumania, one of the most colorful of all European kings, will speak from Bucharest, during this special broadcast marking the fifty-fifth year of independence. KOL, KVI, KOMO.

10 a.m.—Child prodigies will be featured during the "Magic Key" programme to be broadcast by the N.B.C.-blue chain. Ruggerio Ricci, fifteen-year-old violinist, and the Abbe children, John, Patience and Richard, authors and world travellers, will broadcast. Erna Sack, soprano of the Dresden Opera Company, will sing from Dresden; Xavier Cugat and his Rumba orchestra will be heard in their typical dance rhythms, and the Masque and Wig Club of the University of Pennsylvania in a short act will complete the guest billing. Frank Black and the N.B.C. Symphony Orchestra and Milton J. Cross, as master of ceremonies, with Ben Grauer as assistant, will also be heard. KJR.

11 a.m.—Personalizing the news of the past week, Gilbert Seldes will continue his weekly programmes entitled "You" over the N.B.C.-blue network. KJR.

1 p.m.—A fast-moving story of fighting and the "fixed fighting" racket under the title of "A Can of Tobacco" will be related by Colonel Rod during the "Castle Craignont" dramatization on this "Sunday Special" programme. An incident in the life of Franz Liszt will be dramatized on the "Song of Life" portion of this N.B.C.-red network programme. KOMO.

2 p.m.—Playing in Montreal under the direction of J. J. Gaugnier, the Canadian Grenadier Guards will broadcast the following programme over the combined networks of C.R.C. and the N.B.C.-red chain: "Sylvia" by Oley Speaks; Grafulla's "Washington Grays"; Adam's "If I Were King"; two Canadian marches and regimental bugle calls and march pasts. KOMO, CRCV.

5:30 p.m.—Walter Winchell and his Broadway stories. KJR.

5:45 p.m.—Beatrice Hagen, 1936 Hollywood "Baby Radio Star," will be Paul Whiteman's guest on the "Musical Varieties" show. KJR.

6 p.m.—Helen Gleason, soprano; Helen Oelheim, mezzo-soprano; Carlo Morelli, baritone, and Armand Tokatyan, tenor, known as the Metropolitan Quartette, will be guest stars on this N.B.C.-red chain programme starring Erno Rapee's symphony orchestra. The "Quartette from the Finale of Act I" from "Martha" by Flotow; "Rudolfo's Narative" from "La Boheme" by Puccini (by Tokatyan); "Solenne in quest ora" from "La Forza del Destino" by Verdi (a duet by Tokatyan and Morelli); "Miracle's Air" from Bizet's "Carmen" (by Miss Gleason); "Eri tu" from Bizet's "The Masked Ball" (by Morelli) and the "Quartette" from "Rigoletto" by Verdi, is the programme prepared for the singers. Better-known clasical compositions will be played by the orchestra. KOMO.

6:30 p.m.—The Columbia chain will inaugurate a programme in which the audience will take part. This programme directed by John Barclay, is titled "Community Sing" and will be a rollicking half-hour show in which the audience will be invited to join in the sing. KOL, KVI, KSL.

7 p.m.—Eddie Cantor and his company in another bright—half-hour show. KOL, KVI, KSL.

7:30 p.m.—Jack Benny and his company, broadcasting their lively show from Detroit. KOMO.

8 p.m.—Musical nonsense by Jack Hilton's orchestra, featuring Pat O Malley, Effie Atherton, Peggy Dell, the Merry Macs and Alex Templeton, will be heard on this programme, "the shortest half-hour in radio." KOMO.

MONDAY

5 p.m.—Irene Dunne, singing star of Hollywood, will play the leading role in a "Radio Theatre" dramatization of "Bitter Sweet," by Noel Coward. KOL, KVI, KSL.

6 p.m.—"Armless Pete, the Two-Gun Man" or "You Cur, Sir," a rip-roaring drama of the great open spaces, will be the high spot of the "Carefree Carnival" broadcast over the N.B.C.-blue network. KJR.

7 p.m.—Sport Announcer Bill Coyle will broadcast a half-hour blow by blow description of the featherweight championship bout between Freddie Miller, titleholder, and Petey Sarron, contender, from Washington over the N.B.C.-blue chain. KJR.

7:30 p.m.—Densmore's "If God Only Left You"; Tschaikowsky's "None but the Lonely Heart" and "O Promise Me" from De Koven's "Robin Hood," will be solos of Nelson Eddy, when he broadcasts as the "Voice of Firestone." With Margaret Speaks, soprano, he will sing Thomas' "Night Hymn at Sea." KOMO.

9 p.m.—The Colonist news. CFCT.

9:30 p.m.—Douglas Beattie, bass-baritone, will be heard in another half-hour recital over the N.B.C.-blue network. He will sing varied opera and concert selections. KJR.

10:30 p.m.—Bob Beale and his orchestra will play a limited engagement at the Mark Hopkins Hotel in San Francisco and the music will be broadcast nightly by the N.B.C.-red chain at this time. KOMO.

Sunday's Programme

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (1,450 kcs)

10.00 a.m.—Morning Church Cathedral
12.30 p.m.—Funeral of Classics
1.00 p.m.—Mother's Day Programme
4.00 p.m.—Sunday Afternoon Concert
4.15 p.m.—The Scrap Book
4.30 p.m.—Christian Science Programme
8.00 p.m.—Pentecostal Assembly
8.00 p.m.—Gospel Sunshine
7.00 p.m.—Miniature Concert
7.30 p.m.—Christ Church Cathedral
8.45 p.m.—Evening Reveries

CRCV, Vancouver, B.C. (1,100 kcs)

2.00 p.m.—See C.R.C. Network, except:
9.00 p.m.—Home Hour of Music

KNX, Hollywood (1,050 kcs)

6.00 p.m.—Hollywood Swing Parade
6.30 p.m.—Rev. C. E. Fuller
7.30 p.m.—Calmon Lubovski, violinist, and Claire Mellonino, piano
8.00 p.m.—Presbyterian Church
9.00 p.m.—News Flashes
9.15 p.m.—Larry Lee's Orchestra
9.30 p.m.—The Crockett Family
10.30 p.m.—Larry Lee's Orchestra

U.R.C. NETWORK

2.00 p.m.—Band of H.M. Grenadier Guards, director, J. J. Gaunier, Montreal
2.30 p.m.—Dr. H. L. Stewart Reviews the News, Halifax
2.45 p.m.—Dorothy Jean Thorpe, pianist, Calgary
3.00 p.m.—Crinolines, mixed quartette, director, Ernest Dainty, Toronto
3.30 p.m.—La Ville Maison, Montreal
4.00 p.m.—The World Dances, Lud Gluskin's Orchestra (CBS, New York)
4.30 p.m.—Garden of Melody, string group, director, W. Knight Wilson
5.00 p.m.—Little Symphony, director, Charles O'Neill, Quebec
5.30 p.m.—Blue Pacific Moonlight, director, Percy Guyver, with Jean de Rimanoczy, violinist, Vancouver
6.00 p.m.—News (B.C. Network)
6.00 p.m.—Mirror of Melody, director, Geoffrey Waddington, Helena Morton and Adolph Wentroff, Toronto (B.C. 8.15)
6.30 p.m.—Chasing Shadows, Dixie Stewart, Dorothy Norton, pianists, Calgary
6.45 p.m.—Canadian Press News and Weather, Toronto
7.00 p.m.—Time Signal, Ottawa
7.00 p.m.—Atlantic Nocturne, Allan Reid, tenor, Leon Bolkowitz, violin, J. Frank Willis, readings, Halifax
7.30 p.m.—Sweet and Low, Mart Kenney's Orchestra, Art Hallman, tenor, Vancouver
8.00 p.m.—Love, Lassie and Love, orchestra, soloist, director, Count Prassada, Winnipeg
8.30 p.m.—Drifting, Allan Caron, organist, Winnipeg
9.00 p.m.—In the Old Chateau, string quartette, Winnipeg (not CRCV)
10.00 p.m.—News (B.C. Network)
10.15 p.m.—The Deacon's Cottage, Vancouver (B.C. Network)

N.B.C. KPO RED NETWORK

KHQ-KGW-KFI KPO-KOMO

8.00 a.m.—Major Bowes' Capitol Family, Waldo Mayo, conductor, Nicholas Consentino, Helen Alexander, Roy Campbell's Royalists, Joey Nash
8.30 a.m.—University of Chicago Round Table Talks
8.44 a.m.—Address by King Carol of Rumania
9.00 a.m.—Josef Honti's Salon Orchestra
9.30 a.m.—Joan and the Escorts, singers
9.45 a.m.—Harold Nagle's Rumba Orchestra
10.00 a.m.—Walter Logan's Pop Concert
11.15 a.m.—Ann Jamison, soprano
11.30 a.m.—Ed Young's Minnesingers, Zora Layman, songs, Field and Hall, pianists
12.00 noon—The Widow's Song, drama, with Lucille La Verne
12.30 p.m.—A Capella Choir, director, Noble Cain
1.00 p.m.—Sunday Special, drama by Carlton E. Morse, Hazel Warner, contralto, actors, violin, organ
2.00 p.m.—Catholic Hour, Mediaevalia Choir
3.45 p.m.—Benno Rabinoff, violinist, Bertha Rich, pianist
3.00 p.m.—K-7, Secret Service spy story
3.30 p.m.—Robert L. Ripley, Ozzie Nelson's Orchestra, Harriet Hilliard, songs
4.00 p.m.—Major Bowes' Amateur Hour
5.00 p.m.—Manhattan Merry Go Round, Rachel Carley, Rodney McLennan, Men About Town, Andy Sanella's Orchestra
5.30 p.m.—Album of Familiar Music, Frank Munn, Lucy Monroe, Arden and Arden, Bertrand Hirsch, Gustave Haenschen's Orchestra
6.00 p.m.—General Motors Concert, guest soloist and concert orchestra, director, Erno Rapee
7.00 p.m.—Morin Sisters and Ranch Boys, Don McNeill, M.C.
7.30 p.m.—Jack Benny, Mary Livingstone, Johnny Green's Orchestra, Kenny Baker, vocalist
8.00 p.m.—Jack Oakie's Continental Revue, Pat O'Malley, tenor, Alec Templeton, piano
8.30 p.m.—One Man's Family, Carlton Morse drama
9.00 p.m.—John Nesbitt's Passing Parade
9.15 p.m.—Jesse Hawkin's Orchestra
9.15 p.m.—Seven Star Special, Williams Shire (KOL)
9.30 p.m.—Phil Levant's Orchestra
10.00 p.m.—News Flashes, Sam Hayes
10.15 p.m.—Rudee in Dreamland, Paul Carson, organist
11.00 p.m.—Beaux Arts Trio, instrumental
11.30 p.m.—Jack Meakin's Music

N.B.C.-KGO BLUE NETWORK

KGO-KJR-KEX-KECA-KGA

8.00 a.m.—Happy Jack, songs
8.15 a.m.—The Rangers, vocal, instrumental
8.30 a.m.—Radio City Music Hall Symphony, director, Erno Rapee, guest artists
10.00 a.m.—The Magic Key of R.C.A., guest artists, orchestra, direction Frank Black, John B. Kennedy, Milton J. Cross, M.C.
11.00 a.m.—Gilbert Seldes, raconteur, "You"
11.15 a.m.—Joe Venuti's Orchestra
11.45 a.m.—Henri Deering, concert pianist
12.00 noon—National Vespers, Dr. Pouprick
12.30 p.m.—Senator Bishface and Professor Flashbottle, comedian, Olga Vernon, Cavalier Quartette
1.15 p.m.—Edward Vool, harp, George Ross, violin
2.00 p.m.—Canadian Grenadier Guards Band, director, Dr. J. J. Gagner
2.30 p.m.—South Sea Islanders
3.00 p.m.—Reflections, instrumental
4.00 p.m.—Emil Polak's Orchestra, Annette Hustiner, Ralina Zarova
5.00 p.m.—Piano Duos, Jessie Cowan, con., Gertrude Lane, Otto Clare, pianists
5.30 p.m.—Walter Winchell, "Broadway Gossip"
5.45 p.m.—Paul Whiteman's Musical Varieties, Ramona, Roy Bargy, Durelle Alexander, Bob Lawrence, King's Men, Johnny Hauser
6.30 p.m.—Dreams of Long Ago, Ethel Parks Richardson, song dramatization
7.00 p.m.—Twin City Foursome, male quartette
7.10 p.m.—News Flashes
7.15 p.m.—Palace Hotel Ensemble, instrumental
7.30 p.m.—El Chico Spanish Revue
8.00 p.m.—Rudy Seiger's Orchestra
8.30 p.m.—Carl Ravazza's Orchestra
9.00 p.m.—String Time, director, Emil Polak
9.30 p.m.—Reader's Guide, Clinton Taylor
10.00 p.m.—Tom Brown's Orchestra
10.30 p.m.—Bobby Meeker's Orchestra
11.00 p.m.—Charles Runyon, organist

CBS-DON LEE NETWORK

KVI-KFRC-KOIN-KSL-KOL

8.00 a.m.—Salt Lake City Tabernacle organ and choir, Utah
8.30 a.m.—Romany Trail
8.45 a.m.—CBS-BBC News Exchange, Gerald Barry, London
9.00 a.m.—Church of the Air
9.30 a.m.—Poet's Gold, David Ross
9.45 a.m.—Eddie Dunstedter Entertains
10.00 a.m.—French Trio, instrumental
10.30 a.m.—St. Louis Blues
11.00 a.m.—Everybody's Music, director, Howard Barlow
12.00 noon—Houses of Russia, director, Vladimir Heifetz
12.30 p.m.—American War Mothers
1.00 p.m.—Dream Avenue (KOL)
1.15 p.m.—Russell Brown's Harmonettes
1.30 p.m.—Twig Piano Team
2.00 p.m.—Hour of Charm, director, Phil Spitalny
2.30 p.m.—Smiling Ed McConnell, songs
2.45 p.m.—Walks of Life
3.00 p.m.—Paul Kenat, baritone, Gaylord Carter, organist
3.30 p.m.—Annals of the Aces
4.00 p.m.—The World Dances, Lud Gluskin (KOL)
4.30 p.m.—To be announced
5.00 p.m.—Ford Symphony, director, Victor Kolar
6.00 p.m.—Terror by Night, drama
6.30 p.m.—John Barclay's Community Sing
7.00 p.m.—Eddie Cantor, Jimmy Wallington, Parkyakakas, Louis Gress Orchestra
7.30 p.m.—Voice of Experience, human problems
7.45 p.m.—Tommy Dorsey's Orchestra
8.00 p.m.—Frank Dailey's Orchestra
8.30 p.m.—Bela Schaefer's Orchestra
9.00 p.m.—Phillip Crane, organist
9.30 p.m.—University Explorer
10.00 p.m.—To be announced
10.30 p.m.—Nocturnal Serenade
11.00 p.m.—Ellis Kimball's Orchestra
11.15 p.m.—Gaylord Carter, organist

Monday's Programme

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (1,450 kcs)

7.30 a.m.—Rise and Shine
8.00 a.m.—Timely Topics
8.30 a.m.—Chimes of the Times
8.45 a.m.—Let's Go Places with Eric Marshall
9.00 a.m.—Morning Moods
9.15 a.m.—March of Time
9.30 a.m.—Hugh Alants Financial Flashes
9.40 a.m.—Song Souvenirs
10.00 a.m.—Road to Happiness
10.15 a.m.—Health Kelleyarama
10.30 a.m.—Art Farrer at the Piano
11.00 a.m.—Tanao Time
11.15 a.m.—The Scrapbook
11.30 a.m.—Classic Album
12.15 p.m.—World Book Man, "Were Ancient Bottles Unbreakable?"
12.20 p.m.—John McCormack
12.30 p.m.—World Flashes
12.45 p.m.—Waltz Time
1.00 p.m.—Daily Monitor
3.00 p.m.—Radio Birthdays, Patty
3.15 p.m.—Music Lovers' Corner
3.45 p.m.—"The Covered Wagon"
7.00 p.m.—Rendezvous
7.30 p.m.—Organ Serenades
8.00 p.m.—Evening Musicale
8.15 p.m.—Cecil F. Boulter, pianist
8.30 p.m.—Rendezvous
9.00 p.m.—Colonist Radio Reporter

CRCV, Vancouver, B.C. (1,100 kcs)

4.30 p.m.—Recorded Programme
5.00 p.m.—See C.R.C. Network, except:
7.45 p.m.—B.C. Electric Farm Talk
9.30 p.m.—Dr. Lyle Telford

KNX, Hollywood (1,050 kcs)

8.30 p.m.—Drury Lane and Orchestra
8.45 p.m.—Jimmie Allen's Air Adventures
7.00 p.m.—Elmer Goes to Hollywood
7.15 p.m.—House in the Sun, drama
7.30 p.m.—The Newlyweds, comedy
7.45 p.m.—King Cowboy, songs
8.00 p.m.—Character Analysis
8.15 p.m.—Masters of Music
8.30 p.m.—Marlin Luther Thomas
8.45 p.m.—Townsend Plan
9.00 p.m.—News Flashes
9.15 p.m.—Musical Moments
9.30 p.m.—Epic League
9.45 p.m.—The Crockett Family
10.00 p.m.—Marshall Grant, organ
11.00 p.m.—Pete Pontrelli's Orchestra
12.00 m.n.—Trans-Pacific News

C.R.C. NETWORK

5.00 p.m.—Show Shop Songs, instrumental, vocal, St. John
5.30 p.m.—News (B.C. Network)
5.30 p.m.—Tribute to a Song, director, Percy Faith, drama by Rupert Lucas, Toronto (B.C. 5.45)
6.00 p.m.—With Banners Flying, director, Giuseppe Agostini, Imperial Grenadiers, male quartette, Montreal
6.30 p.m.—Geoff Waddington's Orchestra, Toronto
6.45 p.m.—Canadian Press News and Weather, Toronto
7.00 p.m.—Time Signal, Ottawa
7.00 p.m.—Across the Border, New York
7.30 p.m.—Lullaby Lagoon, director, Samuel Hershenhorn (CRCV-CHWK off 7.45)
8.00 p.m.—Mounthaloods of Beaver Bend, dramatic serial, Winnipeg
8.35 p.m.—Lillian Moody, organ, vocal recital, Fort William
8.45 p.m.—Book Review, James Stuart Wood, Prince Albert
9.00 p.m.—Red River Dandies, old time dancing, Blanford Wentworth
10.00 p.m.—News (B.C. Network)
10.15 p.m.—Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Harch, Alan and Edna Houghton, Vancouver (B.C. Network)
10.30 p.m.—Stanley Gordon Orchestra, Vancouver (B.C. Network)

N.B.C. KPO RED NETWORK

KHQ-KGW-KFI-KPO-KOMO

8.00 a.m.—Merry Madcaps, Chester Gregory
8.15 a.m.—Hawaiian Girls Orchestra
11.00 a.m.—Edmund Hayes
11.00 a.m.—Harper Young, Cliffe Assall, sketch
11.15 a.m.—Ma Perkins, drama, Virginia Payne
11.30 a.m.—Life and Sale, household comedy
11.45 a.m.—The O'Neills, dramatic
12.00 noon—Betty and Bob, dramatic sketch
12.30 p.m.—Happy Jack, songs
12.45 p.m.—Grandpa Burton, humorous sketch
1.00 p.m.—Top Hatters, dance orchestra
1.30 p.m.—Lee Gordon's Orchestra
2.00 p.m.—Woman's Magazine of the Air
3.00 p.m.—Earl Smith's Orchestra
3.30 p.m.—Connie Gates, contralto
3.45 p.m.—Lancendori Pictorial, Rush Hughes
4.00 p.m.—Fibber McGee and Molly, comedy
4.30 p.m.—Evening in Paris, Picken Sisters, Mark Williams's Orchestra
5.00 p.m.—Vocalizing with Captain Dobbs
5.30 p.m.—Sigmund Romberg, Lionel Barrymore
6.00 p.m.—Contented Programme, Lullaby Lady, orchestra, director, Morgan L. Eastman
6.30 p.m.—Opportunity Parade (KPO-KFI)
6.30 p.m.—Russ Morgan's Orchestra
7.00 p.m.—Amos 'n' Andy
7.15 p.m.—Lum and Abner, comedy
7.30 p.m.—Voice of Firestone, opera star soloists
8.00 p.m.—Hawthorne House, drama
8.30 p.m.—Rudy Vallee's Orchestra
9.00 p.m.—Phil Levant's Orchestra
9.15 p.m.—Book Parade (KPO)
9.30 p.m.—Carl Schreiber's Orchestra
10.00 p.m.—News Flashes, Sam Hayes
10.15 p.m.—Ben Alexander, Hollywood Boulevardier
10.30 p.m.—Bob Beale's Orchestra
11.00 p.m.—George Olsen's Orchestra
11.30 p.m.—Reveries, instrumentalists

N.B.C.-KGO BLUE NETWORK

KGO-KJR-KEX-KECA-KGA

6.00 a.m.—Hour of Memories, U.S. Navy Band
9.00 a.m.—Joan and Escorts
9.30 a.m.—The New World, speakers
11.30 a.m.—Western Farm and Home Hour, KJR, Wilbur Hall serial, Josef Hornik's Orchestra
12.30 p.m.—How to Be Charming, beauty talk
12.45 p.m.—Rose Graham, baritone
1.00 p.m.—Let's Talk It Over, Emily Post, Anne Hard, authors, Alma Kitchell, contralto, M.C.
1.45 p.m.—Tenor, soprano, piano duo
2.00 p.m.—U.S. Army Band, director, Captain T. F. Darcy
2.25 p.m.—Mickey Gillette, saxophonist
2.35 p.m.—Answer Me This
2.45 p.m.—Three Scamps, vocal trio
3.00 p.m.—Martha Mears, contralto
3.15 p.m.—Life Insurance Week
3.30 p.m.—John Herrick, baritone
4.00 p.m.—Reflections, Gwynfi Jones, tenor, instrumental
4.30 p.m.—Beaux Arts Trio, instrumental
5.00 p.m.—Blue Prelude, Nole Day, conductor, Gertrude Lane, Otto Clare, pianists
6.00 p.m.—Carefree Carnival, variety, Tommy Harris, guests, Ned Tollinger, MC, Jack Meakin's Orchestra
6.30 p.m.—Safety First, speaker (KGO)
6.30 p.m.—National Radio Forum, speakers
6.45 p.m.—Air Adventures of Jimmy Allen (KGO)
7.00 p.m.—Boxing Matches
7.30 p.m.—Glen Grant's Orchestra
8.00 p.m.—Gold Rush Days, Louise Taber (KGO)
8.00 p.m.—Ricardo and his violin
8.15 p.m.—Radio Wrigglebe, sketch
8.30 p.m.—Phil Ohman's Orchestra
9.00 p.m.—Powder Puff Review, Jack Meakin's Orchestra
9.30 p.m.—Douglas Beattie, bass-baritone, music, Williams Sisters
10.00 p.m.—Dan Wide's Orchestra
10.30 p.m.—Jimmy Grier's Orchestra
11.00 p.m.—Room by Candle Light, Tommy Harris, Paul Carlon, organist

U.R.C.-DON LEE NETWORK

KVI-KFRC-KOIN-KSL-KOL

8.00 a.m.—Voice of Firestone, human problems
8.15 a.m.—Musical Reveries, Stuart Churchill
8.30 a.m.—Story of Mary Marlin, drama
8.45 a.m.—Five Star Jones, dramatic sketch
9.00 a.m.—Matinee Memories
9.45 a.m.—Between the Bookends, Ted Malone
10.00 a.m.—The Goldbergs, Gertrude Berg, drama
10.30 a.m.—Arthur Tim Mallory, variety
11.00 a.m.—Annual Red Cross Convention
11.15 a.m.—Milton Cross, organist
11.30 a.m.—American Medical Association (KOL)
11.45 a.m.—Hoosier Hop
12.00 noon—Concert Miniatures (KOL)
1.30 p.m.—Chicago Variety
1.00 p.m.—Jack Shannon, tenor
1.15 p.m.—Michigan Boulevardians, dance music
1.45 p.m.—Wilderness Road, drama
2.00 p.m.—The Chicagoans
2.15 p.m.—University of California Programme (KVI)
2.00 p.m.—Feminine Fancies
3.30 p.m.—Ted Husing and the Charioteers
4.00 p.m.—Eleanor Monnak, Ensemble
4.15 p.m.—Herbert Foote, organist
4.30 p.m.—Henry Halstead's Orchestra
5.00 p.m.—Radio Theatre with guest star
6.00 p.m.—Wayne King's Orchestra
6.30 p.m.—March of Time
6.45 p.m.—Public Opinion
7.00 p.m.—Jack Denny's Orchestra
7.15 p.m.—Renfrew of the Mounted, serial
7.30 p.m.—One Night Stands with Pick and Pat
8.00 p.m.—Goose Creek Parson
8.30 p.m.—Hawaii Calls
9.00 p.m.—Aldo Sturim with organ
10.00 p.m.—Dick Jergens's Orchestra
10.30 p.m.—Merle Carlson's Orchestra
11.00 p.m.—Dick Jergens's Orchestra
11.30 p.m.—Emil Balfa's Orchestra

SHORT WAVE

All Pacific Standard Time

Sunday's Programme

LONDON

3.30 p.m.—Bells and An Empire Service from St. Paul's Cathedral, London. GSD, 25.5 m., 11.75 mcs; GSC, 31.3 m., 9.58 mcs; or GSA, 49.5 m., 6.05 mcs
4.00 p.m.—The International Staff Band of the Salvation Army. GSD, 25.5 m., 11.75 mcs; or GSC, 31.3 m., 9.58 mcs

EINDHOVEN, NETHERLANDS

4.00 p.m.—Special transmission for Central and South America. PCJ, 31.28 m., 9.59 mcs

MOSCOW

1.00 p.m.—Review of the Week, questions and answers. News bulletins. RNE, 50 m., 6 mcs

PARIS

5.15 p.m.—Theatrical programme. TPA4, 25.6 m., 11.72 mcs

BERLIN

5.30 p.m.—The Berlin Mozart Choir of 80 boys and girls. DJD, 25.4 m., 11.77 mcs

CARACAS

8.30 p.m.—Musical Review. YV3RC, 31.7 m., 9.8 mcs

Monday's Programme

HUIZEN, NETHERLANDS

6.55 a.m.—Light opera music. PHI, 16.88 m., 11.73 mcs

MOSCOW

8.25 a.m.—Opera, with explanations in English. RNE, 50 m., 6 mcs

TOKIO

1.00 p.m.—Japanese music and comment. JVM, Nazaki, 37.9 m., 10.74 mcs

MOSCOW

1.00 p.m.—Today's Anniversary. The Organization of the Red Guard in Petrograd." A broadcast planned by a women listener. RNE, 50 m., 6 mcs

ROME

3.00 p.m.—News bulletins in English. From Milan, opera, "Iris," by Pietro Mascagni. Talk by H. E. Prof. Francesco Orestano, philosopher, Italian academician, on "League Polemics and Italy's Revenge." Piano concert. 2RO, 31.1 m., 9.63 mcs

BERLIN

3.15 p.m.—New German band music. DJD, 25.4 m., 11.77 mcs

MADRID

3.45 p.m.—Light Spanish music. EAQ, 30.5 m., 9.67 mcs

LONDON

4.15 p.m.—A Recital of Old French Songs, by Sophie Wyss (soprano). GSD, 25.5 m., 11.75 mcs; GSC, 31.3 m., 9.58 mcs; or GSA, 49.5 m., 6.05 mcs

SAVED BY THIMBLE WHEN SHOCK COMES

PICTON, Ont., May 9.—A needle served as a lightning rod yesterday when a bolt came down the chimney of the home of Mrs. Craight Platt and struck the bit of steel from her fingers as she sat quietly sewing. She experienced little shock, a fact she attributed to the rubber thimble she was wearing.

Western Australian Visitors to City

—Photograph by Associated Screen News.

An interesting family of Perth, Australia, now paying a short visit to Victoria and registered at the Empress Hotel, is shown above. In the centre are Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Atkinson. Their daughters are, reading from left to right: Miss Vera, Miss Cathleen and Miss Una. They landed two months ago in Los Angeles, where they purchased an automobile and are now making their way leisurely across the country to Eastern Canada, before embarking from New York for England. Mr. Atkinson is representative of General Motors Corporation for Western Australia.

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Dominoes to Be Guests of Gyros at Luncheon Tomorrow at Empress

CLUB CALENDAR

MONDAY—Gyro Club, luncheon meeting, Empress Hotel, 12.10 p.m.—Business and Professional Women's Club business meeting, Union Building clubrooms, 8 p.m.

TUESDAY—Kiwanis Club, luncheon meeting, Empress Hotel, 12.15 p.m.

THURSDAY—Rotary Club luncheon meeting, Empress Hotel, 12.10 p.m.—Kinsmen Club dinner meeting, Empress Hotel, 6.15 p.m.—Business and Professional Women's Club, social gathering, clubrooms, 8 p.m.—Active International Club dinner meeting, Spencer's dining-room, 6.30 p.m.

FRIDAY—Capital City Commercial Club luncheon meeting, Empress Hotel, 12.15 p.m.

Manager Dave Nicol and his Dominoes Basketball Club, back today from the unsuccessful attempt to gain a Canadian title, will be guests at the Gyro Club luncheon tomorrow. Individual players will be interviewed as to their impressions and opinions of the series between Windsor and Victoria.

Miss Violet Fowkes and her dancing pupils will give a quarter-hour recital at the Rotary Club luncheon Thursday, to be followed by reports of the district convention, which opens today in Vancouver. A speaker, yet to be named, will appear at the Kiwanis Club luncheon on Tuesday.

To discuss plans for the decorated table display to be held in aid of the "Bay Wigley Memorial Fund" by the club in the Empress Hotel on May 20 from 3 to 10 p.m. and to arrange details of the annual dinner on May 23 in the hotel, an important business session of the Business and Professional Women's Club will be held tomorrow. On Thursday the weekly social gathering will take place.

The Active International Club, newly formed service group, will hold its second meeting on Thursday night to complete organization plans. The Capital City Commercial Club will meet for luncheon on Friday.

Thursday will be initiation night at the Kinsmen meeting, when six new members will be formally introduced. Plans for the "Kinsmen Community Karnival," to be held on May 25, will also be discussed.

ST. MARY'S TROOP AND PACKS

A combined concert and "bunfeed" for Scouts, Cubs and their parents was held recently at the headquarters, Granite Street. About forty-five Scouts and Cubs and twenty parents were present. The evening opened with a "going-up" ceremony, two of the sixers of the South Pack, Charlie Maulsell and Jack Gibbs, leaving their pack and joining the Gull and Eagle Patrols of the troop.

Following this was a concert made up of six or seven acts, put on almost entirely by the Gull Patrol, under Patrol Leader Walt Wickson and Second Pierre Berton. Highlights of the programme were a one-man prizefight by Colin Pyke, and the dramatized version of "The Sons of the Prophet," by W. Wickson and R. Holden, and narrated by P. Berton. After the concert was over, buns and cocoa were served, prepared by the Owls.

A novel idea for admission was tried out, and proved quite successful. Each Scout and Cub was charged one cup for admission, proceeds going to the kitchen cupboard, to be used at future bunfeeds. Each parent was charged five cents, part of which went into the funds of the Gull Patrol, and part went towards paying for the buns etc.

The challenge shield for the best patrol in the troop was also presented during the evening, going to the Eagle Patrol, under Ken Scharff. More of these entertainments are planned for the future.

FIRST CATHEDRAL

The usual meeting of the First Cathedral Troop was held Friday night. Duty Patrol Leader H. Taylor opened the meeting.

D. Fennel was enrolled into the troop. R. Warner was made patrol leader of the Pheasants. J. Rowe received his carpenter's badge. The remainder of the meeting was devoted to instruction.

Takes Part in Festival

Before the tomb of dead animals at the Uyeno Zoo, in Tokio, Miss Hanako, favorite elephant of the children of Japan's capital, is shown bowing during the festival of Buddha's birthday. Three thousand kindergarten children attended the service.

REGENCY COUNCIL NAMED IN EGYPT

Parliament Selects Three to Rule After Rejecting Nominations Of Late Monarch

CAIRO, May 9 (AP).—The Egyptian Parliament last night rejected nominations by the late King Fuad of three regents to rule the country with the new King Farouk.

The Parliament named an entirely new list of members for the regency council after it was discovered King Fuad's list had been written in 1922 and one of his suggested regents had since died.

The new regents approved by the Parliament are Prince Mohamed Aiz, heir presumptive to the throne; Aziz Ezzet Pasha, for many years Egyptian Minister at London, and Cherif Sabri Pasha, an uncle of the new King.

Seattle Factory Swept by Flames

SEATTLE, May 9 (AP).—Fire of undetermined origin last night swept the frame plant of the Casein Manufacturing Company of America, causing damage estimated at $150,000 by the manager, C. W. Leonardson.

After a battle of more than an hour, firemen brought the flames under control and stopped their threatened spread to adjacent manufacturing plants.

GOLD FROM FRANCE

NEW YORK, May 9 (AP).—The liner Bremen arrived from Europe yesterday with $6,750,000 in gold in its hold. All but $550,000 was from France.

TAGGERS NEEDED BY SHELTER BODY

H. H. Smith occupied the chair at the monthly meeting of the committee responsible for the Citizens' Recreation Rooms, 521 Fort Street, Friday night. A. H. Hundleby reported inquiries had been made with the view of acquiring a piano for use in the rooms, to replace one that has been rented, and an excellent instrument was donated by the Hudson's Bay Company, through A. J. Watson, manager. A vote of appreciation was passed for this generous gift.

The secretary stated good progress is being made in the organizing of the tag day next Saturday, but workers are still needed and are asked to telephone the rooms, E 6932, for information. Some 200 men use the rooms daily and several were sent out to odd jobs during April.

R. F. Taylor, treasurer in his financial statement, showed expenditures as $180, with receipts of $103.50, during the month. Cash on hand on May 1 was $133.08. This amount, Mr. Taylor said, would cover necessary payments until the tag day collections are received.

Sunshine Inn's Daily Average Of Meals Less

In acknowledging cash donations received during the month of April, officials of Sunshine Inn announced yesterday that a total of 3,593 meals had been served during the month. This was an average of 120 meals per day in comparison with 150 per day served in the month of March and an average of 191 meals per day in April of last year.

Cash donations last month totaling $113.55 were received from the following: K.H.S., $2; J. A. Grant, $5; Friend (James Island), $1; F.H., $5; Benjamin Gonnason, $10; T.M., $2; Anonymous, $20; F. W. Nolte and Co., $10; Mrs. L. E. Pierce, $5; Mrs. Mary C. Todd, $50; C. H. North, 50c; X.Y.Z., $1; a well-wisher for Sunshine Inn, $1, and additional contributions taken from gift box, $1.05.

KILLED WHEN ROPE OF TRAPEZE BREAKS

KITCHENER, Ont., May 9 (AP).—Sue Ulrie, of Los Angeles, a trapeze artist with the Conklin Shows, died early yesterday from injuries she suffered in an eighty-foot fall during a performance last night. She was making a leap from one trapeze to another when the rope on the second trapeze broke.

LOSE OLDEST NEIGHBOR

SAN LORENSO, Spain, May 9 (CP-Havas).—Villages here were mourning their oldest neighbor today. He was Andre Veiga, who died at the age of 109 years.

CHILDREN'S AID ASKS FOR FUNDS

In presenting the report of the campaign committee of the Children's Aid Society, the campaign manager pointed out that while the active work of the committee was now brought to a close, the total amount received to date was short of the required objective.

Figures up to April 30 showed receipts of $2,129.90—considerably less than the amount sought, and it is hoped that further contributions will be received from time to time in order that the work of the Society may not be curtailed.

Contributions have been received from the following, receipt of which is gratefully acknowledged: Mrs. J. M. Adams, A. E. Mallett, Mrs. A. E. Mallett, Miss Margaret Bolton, Mrs. Bissell, Mrs. E. M. Harris, Emmanuel Baptist Ladies' Aid, Navy League, I.O.D.E., J. R. Stewart for E.O.S., a friend, Miss K. A. Hall, Mrs. Reade, Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion, Mrs. Frances J. Troup, anonymous, Colfax Rebekah Lodge No. 1, Brigadier D. J. MacDonald, A. H. Paterson, W. N. Gunning, Miriam Temple No. 2, Daughters of the Nile, Sidney Roofing Co., James A. Wattie, E. I. W. Jardine, Mrs. Preiswerck, Ken Leeming, Fred Pollard, Miss E. Grubb, W. B. Lanigan, Miss Amy Angus, J. Leeming, P. Bell, B. C. Electric Railway Co., Esquimalt Women's Institute, H. P. Bagley, Corporation of Esquimalt and Miss O. Heritage.

EXTEND WELCOME TO HIGH OFFICER

Royal Arcanum Council Greets J. J. Murphy at Session—Elect Officers Tomorrow

At a recent meeting of Majestic Council No. 1513, Royal Arcanum, a welcome was extended to Grand Secretary J. J. Murphy, of the jurisdiction of Washington and British Columbia, who was on an official visit to the local lodge, and also came to make arrangements for the Grand Council session, to be held in this city on June 19-20.

Mr. Murphy, in his interesting speech on council activities, congratulated the local council and the degree team on the work which they put on a short while ago, having received a marking of 100 per cent in the victory membership campaign judging. This carried with it special prizes for the council and degree team. Brothers Kerr and Thompson were given the full degree of the order by the degree team.

Tomorrow evening nominations and election of officers for the ensuing year will take place, installation being at the second meeting this month, when Dr. F. L. Patterson, of Ranier Council, Seattle, will act as installing officer. All members are requested to be in attendance tomorrow evening.

OTTAWA, May 9 (CP).—The House of Commons pensions committee examining war veterans' problems met yesterday, but adjourned at once for lack of a quorum.

Military Activities

5th (B.C.) COAST BRIGADE, R.C.A.

Brigade orders by Lieut.-Col. M. A. Kent, Officer Commanding 5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade, R.C.A.

Part I

Duties for week ending May 16th, 1936—Orderly officer, 2nd Lieut. A. O. Hood; next for duty, 2nd Lieut. J. L. Howard. Orderly sergeant, Sergt. R. Ireland; next for duty, Sergt. G. B. Bowden.

Parades—All units of the brigade will parade at the Armories on Tuesday, May 12, 1936, under respective battery commanders. Fall in at 7.55 p.m. Dress, drill order.

Clothing—All numericals, C.G.A.'s and C.F.A.'s will be returned to battery stores immediately. R.C.A.'s will be issued from battery stores.

Birthday of His Majesty King Edward VIII, June 23, 1936—No official dinners are to be held this year in celebration to His Majesty King Edward VIII. In other respects, customary procedure for the occasion will be followed. Flags will be flown from drill halls authorized to fly same on special occasions, viz.: Chilliwack, Kamloops, Merritt, New Westminster, North Vancouver and Vernon. A royal salute will be fired at 12 noon by the R.C.A. at Esquimalt.

Sergeants' Mess Meeting.—The regular monthly meeting of the Sergeants' Mess will be held in the mess on Thursday, May 14, 1936, at 8.15 p.m. Dress, shies.

Part II

Appointments, Promotions and Retirements—The following extracts from A. P. and R. No. 4 of 1936 are re-published for the information of all concerned:

Artillery, 5th B.C. Coast Brigade, 55th Hvy. Bty.—2nd Lieut. (supy.) A. Miller is permitted to resign his commission, December 31, 1935.

Promotions—The O.C. is pleased to approve of the following promotions: 556 L.-Bdr. G. A. Morton, 2nd A.A. Section, R.C.A., to be A.-Bdr. as from 28-4-36; 542 Gnr. J. Winger, 2nd A.A. Section, R.C.A., to be Bdr. as from 28-4-36; 554 Gnr. J. R. Merideth, 2nd A.A. Section, R.C.A., to be L.-Bdr. as from 28-4-36.

Strength Decrease—The following O.R. is struck off brigade strength—5250 Gnr. J. P. W. Moore, 12th Hvy. Bty., R.C.A., 5-5-36, joined P.P.

Leave—The following N.C.O. has been granted leave of absence: 3118 Sig.-Sergt. C. A. Burley, 5th Field Bty., R.C.A., from 4-5-36 to 4-7-36.

H. C. BRAY,
Captain and Adjutant,
5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade, R.C.A.

1st BN. (11th C.E.F.) CANADIAN SCOTTISH REGIMENT

Battalion Orders by Lieut.-Col. J. R. Kingham, Officer Commanding

Part I

District Camp Schools—The following extract from District Headquarters Training Circular for 1936-37 is published for information: "District Camp Schools will be held as follows: Infantry Part II Course at Work Point Barracks from 27-7-36 to 8-8-36; Infantry Full Course at Work Point Barracks from 13-7-36 to 8-8-36; Machine Guns Part II Course at Work Point Barracks from 27-7-36 to 8-8-36.

Militia Staff Course—The following extract from District Headquarters Training Circular for 1936-37 is published for information: "The Practical Portion of the Militia Staff Course will be held for Western Canada at Sarcee Camp, Alberta, from August 16 to August 29, 1936; the Theoretical Portion of the Militia Staff Course will be held in Victoria commencing October 5, 1936, approximately."

Part II

Attestation—The following recruit, having been duly attested, is taken on the strength and allotted regimental number as follows: 1696 Bglr. W. J. Hood, with effect from 7-5-36.

Reattestation—The following N.C.O. has been reattested for a further period of three years' service: 1489 Sgt. F. G. Goodenough, "Biga," with effect from 4-5-36.

Leave of Absence—The undermentioned officer is granted leave as shown: 2nd Lieut. L. C. Fritsch, "C," from 8-5-36 to 14-5-36.

Detailed for Duty—The undermentioned officers were detailed for duty on a Board of Officers, which assembled in accordance with District Order No. 94 of 1936 on May 5, 7 and 8, 1936, for the purpose of conducting an examination of personnel who attended the Provisional School (All Arms): Major Stuart Robertson, Lieut. H. R. Halls.

Warrant Rank—The following extract from Militia Order No. 139 of 1936 is published for information: "Warrant Rank—Can Scottish Regt. Regimental Headquarters—To be Regtl. Sergt.-Major, R.S.M. J. Green, from the 1st Battalion, with effect from January 25, 1935. Can Scottish Regt., 1st Bn.—To be Regtl. Sergt.-Major, A.-R.S.M. J. Robertson, M.M., with effect from January 25, 1936."

Certificate—The following extract from Militia Order No. 149 of 1936 is published: "The following certificate is granted: 2nd Lieut. E. A. Stewart, Can. Scot. Regt., 1st Bn., Cert. No. 84737, in Q.M.'s duties, Grade "Quartermaster," effective 14-3-36."

Erratum—Battalion Order (Part II) No. 3, subhead No. 29, in so far as it concerns No. 447 R.S.M. J. R. Green, is amended to read: "Transferred from 1st Bn. to Regtl. H.Q. Staff as from 25-1-35," and not as therein stated.

W. H. PARKER, Lieut.,
Adjt., 1st Bn. Can. Scottish Regt.

Notice

A softball practice will be held at Central Park on Sunday at 9.30 a.m. and on Wednesday next at 6.30 p.m.

2nd BN. CANADIAN SCOTTISH REGIMENT

Battalion Orders by Lieut.-Col. Walter Bapty, Officer Commanding.

Reattestations—21 Cpl. R. Fitzgerald, "A," with effect from 13-3-36; 43 Sgt. J. S. Sutherland, "A," with effect from 24-4-36.

Appointments, Promotions and Retirements—The following extract from D.O. 87 of 1936 is published: "The following extracts from A.P. and R. No. 4 of 1936, is published for the information of all concerned: Can. Scot. Regt., 2nd Bn.: Lieut. W. A. Georgeson is transferred to the 6th Reserve Bn. as from October 16, 1935; to be Lieut., 2nd Lt. R. M. Lendrum, as from February 10, 1936."

Discharge—The following man is struck off the strength: 893 Pte. B. E. Peterson, D., with effect from 29-4-36.

D. G. CROFTON, Lieut.,
Asst.-Adjt., 2nd Bn. Can. Scot. Regt.

"A" COY., 11TH MACHINE GUN BN., C.M.G.C.

Duties—Orderly officer for week ending May 16, 1936, Lieut. H. Buss; next for duty, Lieut. A. B. Gray. Orderly sergeant for week ending May 16, 1936, Lance-Sergeant Garnot; next for duty, Corporal Henry.

Parades—The company will parade at 8 p.m., Tuesday, May 12, 1936, dress, drill order.

Training — Care and cleaning, points B., D. and A. Competition team will train separately under Lieut. A. B. Gray.

Fort Macaulay Range—The twenty-five-yard range at Fort Macaulay has been allocated for use by this company on the following dates: May 10, 17 and 24, 1936. Firing will not be continued after 12 noon. Range officer, Lieut. A. B. Gray.

W. O. B. FINDLAY, 2nd Lieut.,
For Major Commanding "A" Coy.,
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NO. 129—SEVENTY-EIGHTH YEAR

VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, SUNDAY, MAY 10, 1936

CITY BLANKS THISTLES IN JACKSON CUP FINAL

Special Agent Scores Smart Victory in $10,000 Bay Meadows Handicap

Favorite Captures Rich Purse Event In Decisive Style

Austin Taylor's Great Horse Finishes a Length and One-Half in Front of Azucar in Feature Race in California—Uppermost in Third Place —Burns Rides the Winner

SAN MATEO, Calif., May 9 (AP).—Special Agent, odds-on favorite from the Canadian-owned A.C.T. Stock Farm Stable, won today's $10,000 added Bay Meadows Handicap over a mile and one-sixteenth. The time was 1:43, one second slower than the world's record.

Azucar, winner of the 1935 $100,000 added Santa Anita Handicap, ran second, and Uppermost, crack Eastern mare, took third.

After a good start, Special Agent, stable mate of the Kentucky Derby colt, Indian Broom, went to the top. Around the far turn, the four-year-old colt by Sir Galahad moved into a length lead.

Coming into the stretch, Jockey George Burns gave his mount his head and the brown thoroughbred increased his lead to four lengths.

Continuing the drive, he worked into a six-length lead, with Uppermost still clinging to second spot, which she held from the start.

MOVES TOO LATE

Big Azucar, slow starter, but strong finisher, made his move down the stretch, but it was too late to catch the flying leader. The star of the stable owned by Fred M. Alger Jr., of Detroit, overtook Uppermost, however, and was a length and a half behind Special Agent at the wire.

A crowd of more than 20,000 fans saw the third running of the handicap.

The winner paid $3.80, $2.40 and $2.40. Azucar, coupled with Dark Winter as an entry, returned $2.60 and $2.40. Uppermost returned $2.80.

Results follow:

First Race—Five furlongs:

Proud Santa (W. Robertson)	$51.00	$21.80	$12.00
Crystal Pan (Hilton)		6.60	5.00
Bon Red (A. Gray)			8.60

Time, 1:00. Also ran Shasta Boy, Swift Lad, Brass Bottle, Mon Image, Some Devil, Chattain.

Second Race—One mile

Ancient Rome (Richardson)	$16.80	$11.00	$7.20
Rochester Day (Sena)		28.80	13.40
Adder (Neves)			4.60

Time, 1:39. Also ran Gretna B., Buddy Carlos, Russet, Gold Set, Figueroa, Changing Ways, Noticed, Notify, Lovesick.

Third Race—One mile.

Hattie Mae (McClellan)	$28.40	$14.40	$7.20
High Sun (Neves)		13.20	6.00
Seaford (Shultz)			3.20

Time, 1:38 4-5. Also ran Moonrose, Only George, Delmonte, Crystal Image, Beadwork, Lady Clement, Donna Bonita, Kootenay Belle.

Fourth Race—Seven and one-half furlongs

Coldwater (W. Robertson)	$8.80	$5.20	$3.40
Gateway (Shultz)		6.60	4.00
Velocitier (Merritt)			4.30

Time, 1:32. Also ran Mr. Bug, Davidor, R. D. Powers.

Fifth Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:

Distribute (Shultz)	$5.20	$3.80	$2.60
Uncle Lesa (Stewart)		8.00	3.60
Sea Eagle (Neves)			3.00

Time, 1:44. Also ran Uncle Fred, Chartree, Bon Amour.

Sixth Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:

Rickle Bill (Richardson)	$18.20	$7.40	$4.80
Toro Mak (Neves)		4.60	3.60
Plum Elected (McCown)			5.40

Time, 1:45 1-5. Also ran Pass Up, Zenar, Guide Light, Green Flame, Behemoth.

Seventh Race—Mile and one-sixteenth

Special Agent (G. Burns)	$3.80	$2.40	$2.40
Azucar (Richardson)		2.60	2.10
Uppermost (Leischman)			2.80

Time, 1:43. Also ran Dark Winter, Mickeys Man, Ebony Lady.

Eighth Race—Two miles

Malicious (Shultz)	$4.40	$3.00	$2.60
Comradeship (Neves)		3.60	2.80
Eighth Pole (Martin)			2.00

Time, 3:27 4-5. Also ran Asco, Phalarope, Starbrook.

KENT SCORES ANOTHER WIN

Registers Second Victory of Cricket Season Over Gloucestershire

LONDON, May 9 (?).—Recording its second straight victory this season, Kent yesterday defeated Gloucestershire in a county cricket championship match by 153 runs. In the first fixture of the season the hop county was victorious over Glamorgan by a margin of 111 runs.

First innings points were taken by Hampshire from Derbyshire and by Lancashire from Worcestershire. Both games went the full three days and only the clock stopped Hampshire and Lancashire from snatching major points.

M.C.C. defeated Surrey by seven wickets in a high-scoring battle at Lords, while the matches between India and Oxford University and Cambridge and Sussex were drawn.

The scores:

Kent, 180 and 271; Gloucestershire, 102 and 196.

M.C.C., 494 for seven wickets, declared, and 94 for three; Surrey, 224 and 363.

Oxford University, 202 and 297; India, 202 and 103 for five.

Cambridge University, 205 and 350; Sussex, 395 and 65 for one wicket.

Hampshire, 256 and 334 for seven, declared; Derbyshire, 204 and 255 for eight.

Lancashire, 327 and 152 for six, declared; Worcestershire, 180 and 182 for nine.

games will be few and far between if yesterday's batting is a fair sample of what the fans may expect as, with the short field fence, the fielders have but little chance of retiring a batter who makes anything like a long hit.

The game was full of excitement from the tap of the gong until the last runner was retired. It remained for the local team to bring the excitement up to a fever heat in the seventh inning, when they scored no less than seven runs by a fine streak of hitting, at the same time causing the complete explosion of the much-touted boy wonder of the Spokane team, Paul Strand.

Remember When

(Twenty-Five Years Ago)

Professional baseball was introduced to the Victoria fans yesterday and was welcomed with warm enthusiasm. The excitement began early in the afternoon and continued until the first of the week's series of Victoria-Spokane matches was over, with a sensational victory notched in favor of the Islanders. Half an hour before the steamer Iroquois was due from Seattle, Belleville Street, from Government Street to the C.P.R. wharf, was well lined with people. Automobiles, carriages, and hundreds of pedestrians lined the thoroughfare. Prominent in the throng were three tally-hos, two designed for the use of the rival teams and the other commissioned to carry the members of the Booster Club to the scene of the contest.

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It was a great game fro ma spectator's standpoint. A swat-fest of safe hits were made during the game including four home runs over the wirenetting. Small score

More Sport History Written Into the Books

More sport history was written into the records, both in Canada and in Kentucky, the past week. (1) Above shows Bold Venture winning the sixty-second running of the Kentucky Derby by a nose over Brevity. The arrow points to Bold Venture as the big three year old drives over the finish line. (2) Leroy Herrmann, who pitched no-hit ball for the Leafs for ten innings to blank Newark Bears, 1-0, at Toronto Stadium, May 2. Only four such performances have been written into the records in the history of baseball. All the other performances were registered by big leaguers. (3) The winners of Toronto's ninth six-day bike grind, Jimmy Walthour and Charlie Winter. They are shown with Buddy Rogers, the stage and screen star. Left to right, Walthour, Werner Miethe, Buddy Rogers and Charlie Winter.

TO ENCOURAGE JUNIOR PLAY

Tennis Heads Will Help Young Net Players During Coming Season

Convinced that Victoria's tennis future rests with the encouragement of junior play, which they felt has been somewhat neglected in the past, club representatives attending the annual meeting of the Vancouver Island Tennis League, Friday evening, in the Pemberton Building, took steps to foster play among the youngsters.

Delegates attending the parley also expressed the opinion that league play during the 1936 season was not successful, and, for the current season at least, decided to suspend league competition in favor of knockout and challenge series.

Present plans call for a junior knockout series for schools and clubs, with play open to boys and girls in separate divisions.

Knockout series will also be held for second division men's and women's squads, while in the third division a challenge series will be staged.

Rules governing play in the various competitions will be presented by a special committee and tendered at the next meeting of the association for ratification.

Entries will be called for as soon as definite plans governing play in the different competitions are decided upon.

GOVERNING BOARD

While deciding to suspend league play for the current season, the representatives set up a governing board of officials and executive members to administrate play in the knockout and challenge series.

E. F. Le Quesne, Langford tennis player, who was president of the Vancouver Island Tennis League last season, was named president for a second successive term. W. E. "Reg" Corfield, veteran netter, was elected vice-president, and Stan Holman, hard-working secretary-treasurer, was returned to office for another term.

Dr. E. W. Boak was elected honorary president, and C. Swayne, B. C. Nicholas, H. B. Witter and C. F. Todd were named honorary vice-presidents.

Dr. A. Poyntz, A. C. Brand and S. J. D. Clack were appointed members of the executive committee.

Those attending the meeting were E. F. LeQuesne, Langford; S. Holman, A. C. Brand and W. E. "Reg" Corfield, Victoria; N. R. Staples, Duncan, and S. J. D. Clack, Armadale.

J.B.A.A. Oarsmen To Start Annual Training Session

HEADQUARTERS of the J.B.A.A. on the Gorge, will present a busy scene today as the oarsmen begin their training under the watchful eyes of Coach Dan Moses. The training grind is scheduled to commence at 9:30 o'clock, and Coach Dan Moses is looking forward to a full turnout of oarsmen. The new eight, recently brought here from Seattle, will be used on the Gorge waters today as the boys limber up for the May 25 regatta with Vancouver Rowing Club.

Entertainment at Willows Show on May 25 Is Varied

With the two hospitals and the Queen Alexandra Solarium to benefit equally, the gymkhana to be held at the Willows on May 25 was rapidly moving towards a successful close, the Victoria Day sports and race committee reported Friday at a meeting.

For the holiday attraction it was stated numerous novelty events had been arranged including motorcycle races, horse races and steeplechasing races.

It was reported that the women's auxiliaries of the two hospitals and organizations connected with the Solarium had stated they were supporting the ticket sales to insure a good attendance at the Willows.

DRIVES HOME GOALS IN SECOND HALF TO REGISTER FINE WIN

Tallies by Eddie Moore and Jack Payne Give Victoria City 2-0 Decision in Fast Cup-Tie Fixture —Winners' Defence Proves Troublesome To Front Line of Thistles Team

Proving more dangerous in front of the goal, and better able to take advantage of their scoring opportunities, Victoria City blanked the Saanich Thistles, 2-0, yesterday afternoon at the Royal Athletic Park in the Jackson Cup final.

All of the scoring was done in the final canto. Two minutes after the turnover, City netted the first marker of the match when Jack Payne tallied after "Red" Tregallis hit the crossbar with a header. Six minutes later, the eventual winners drove home their second marker and the final tally of the match when Eddie Moore picked the corner of the goal with a low shot after Tregallis made a perfect pass.

Victoria City, the better team on the day's play, were deserving of victory. They played smarter football than the lads from the suburban district, while Roper and Moody, giant fullbacks, turned in a safe and steady performance on the back division.

SOURCE OF WORRY

"Red" Tregallis, ginger-topped young centre forward for the City eleven, proved a source of worry to the Saanich defence. He moved with determination, was always in the thick of the play and certainly helped the City in the two markers they scored.

Saanich Thistles, lacking the fight they showed in their two fixtures with Esquimalt, really had an edge in the territorial play, but their front rank never functioned with cohesion during the afternoon. Their defence played rugged football and the halfbacks gave the front line plenty of scoring opportunities, but poor passing and lack of teamwork spoiled many goal-getting chances.

Danny Glancy, veteran forward, made a number of good openings for the Saanich boys, particularly in the initial stanza, but, like the work of the halfbacks, the chances went begging.

PRESENTS CUP

After the usual congratulatory remarks, Alderman James Adam, British Columbia representative to the Dominion Football Association, presented the coveted Jackson Cup, symbolic of the city football championship, to Wally Rowe, captain of the Victoria City eleven. To Sammy Essler, skipper of the Saanich Thistles, the genial city father presented the ball.

Victoria City opened with a fast offensive, and after five minutes of play at top speed, Gordie Chalmers was forced to go to the ground to clear from Jack Payne. Saanich Thistles, slow to get started, finally forced the issue and Gibbons cleared a dangerous attack. Minutes later, C. Robbins headed Essler's shot clear, with Rowe out of position.

Saanich Thistles kept up the pressure, and after Rowe cleared Essler's long shot from the wing, Bill McLean's terrific shot was blocked by Moody, and the home City fullback folded up and went to the ground.

City came back a few minutes later and Jack Payne missed an excellent scoring chance after George Payne crossed from the left lane. Playing useful football, George Payne was getting plenty of work to do and he was dangerous all of the time.

Play traveled up and down the field at a fast clip, and both forward lines were missing excellent scoring chances, with the result that when the rest interval arrived the score sheet was still clean.

JACK PAYNE SCORES

Victoria City started on the attack as play resumed and, after forcing a corner, netted the initial tally of the match. Moore took the flag kick and, after "Red" Tregallis hit the bar, Jack Payne picked off the rebound and scored.

Six minutes later Victoria City wound up the scoring for the day when Eddie Moore scored after Tregallis and Peers made the opening.

Saanich Thistles fought hard for the remainder of the match, and, although they had a margin in the territorial play, they could not penetrate the stonewall defence offered by their opponents. Victoria City, with a clear two-goal margin, defended their lead in cup-tie style, and try as they would, the Saanich boys found it impossible to score.

T. M. Robb refereed and the teams were:

Victoria City — Rowe, Moody, Roper, C. Robbins, Gibbons, D. Robertson, Moore, J. Payne, Tregallis, Peers and G. Payne.

Saanich Thistles — Chalmers, Crowe, Harper, Williams, Leggett, Speller, Essler, McLean, Glancy, Gent and English.

Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Louis	13	7	.650
Pittsburgh	12	8	.600
Chicago	12	9	.571
New York	10	10	.500
Cincinnati	10	13	.435
Philadelphia	10	13	.435
Brooklyn	9	12	.429
Boston	8	12	.400

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	17	7	.708
New York	16	7	.696
Cleveland	14	8	.636
Detroit	10	10	.500
Chicago	9	10	.474
Washington	12	14	.462
Philadelphia	8	14	.364
St. Louis	3	19	.136

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Montreal	15	5	.750
Newark	15	8	.652
Toronto	13	8	.619
Baltimore	11	11	.500
Rochester	9	8	.529
Buffalo	8	12	.400
Syracuse	3	11	.214
Albany	4	15	.211

COAST LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Oakland	29	13	.690
Seattle	25	17	.595
Portland	19	19	.500
Missions	19	21	.475
San Francisco	19	21	.475
San Diego	19	22	.463
Sacramento	17	23	.425
Los Angeles	15	26	.366

WITH THE ANGLERS

Steelhead and rainbow trout are plentiful in Sproat River at the present time, according to reports reaching the city. In Dougans' Kemp, Shawnigan and Prospect Lakes, trout fishing is reported good, while Brentwood Bay and Saanich Inlet are producing a good quantity of grilse and jack springs.

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Using a Hom Mac, Inspector O. Henton, of the Shanghai police, landed a ten-pound halibut Friday at Cowichan Bay. He also caught a steelhead on a Devon Minnow.

BELIEVE IT OR NOT - - - - - - By Ripley

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Soccer Activities

James Bay Wanderers, Wednesday Football League eleven, will play an exhibition match this afternoon with the Pitzer & Nex squad of the Saanich and District Football League, at Hampton Road Park. The kick-off is set for 3 o'clock. The following players are asked to turn out for the Wanderers: Sadler, Eastwood, Thame, Bourne, Magee, Fieldhouse, Garnot, L. Gelling, T. Belford, Barnes, White, Ball and Roekamp.

Mosquitoes Hard On the Nudists

LINDSAY, Ont., May 9 (?).—There were persistent rumors circulating today that a nudist colony has been organized in the vicinity of Sturgeon Bay, with a membership already totaling twenty-five couples. Two persons, a man and a woman, were reported to be inquiring about a mosquito-less and thistle-less site.

Convener of Parlor Show

MRS. L. M. WOOD

Colwood Kennels, Carey Road, convener of the first Parlor Show of the Vancouver Island Dog Fanciers' Association, which will be held in the Vancouver Island Coach Lines Building on Saturday, May 30. In the picture, Mrs. Wood is seen with two of her dogs, Kim and Grey Earl.

ST. LOUIS PUSHES CHICAGO INTO THIRD BERTH

Cardinals Defeat Cubs in Tenth to Gain the Verdict

Triple by Lynn King and Singles by Martin and Medwick Produce Winning Runs in 4-2 Victory—Giants Lose to Phils—Red Sox and Yanks Win—Tigers Nose Out Indians

NATIONAL LEAGUE

CHICAGO, May 9 (AP).—The St. Louis Cardinals, who took the league lead away from the Chicago Cubs yesterday, dropped the National League champions still another notch to third place today by beating them again in ten innings. The score was 4 to 2.

Although the Cubs, through Ken O'Dea's pinch single scoring Stan Hack with the tying run in the ninth, managed to go into extra innings for the sixth time in their last ten games, a triple by Lynn King off Relief Pitcher Charley Root and singles by "Pepper" Martin and Joe Medwick off Clay Bryant cost them the game in the tenth.

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	4	10	2
Chicago	2	9	0

Batteries—Parmelee, Walker and Davis; Warneke, Root, Henshaw, Bryant and Hartnett.

Lindstrom Leads Attack

BOSTON, May 9 (AP).—With Fred Lindstrom leading the attack, the Brooklyn Dodgers defeated the Boston Bees, 2-0, on a gale-swept field today.

After Jimmy Bucher had doubled off the right-field wall in the fourth, Lindstrom singled him home for the first run, and the second tally was made after successive singles by Lindstrom, Hassett and Joe Stripp in the eighth.

Joe Cascarart got three of the Bees' seven hits, all singles.

	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	2	12	2
Boston	0	7	1

Batteries — Clark, Brandt and Berres; MacFayden and Lopez.

Davis Defeats Giants

PHILADELPHIA, May 9 (AP). — Curt Davis, of the Phillies, held the Giants to seven hits today as his mates slapped Hubbell, Gumbert and Gabler for ten safeties and a 5-3 victory. It was Davis' fourth straight victory over Hubbell and, except for the first and sixth innings, he managed to escape any serious trouble.

Joe Moore, of the Giants, and Dolph Camilli, of the Phils, hit homers.

	R.	H.	E.
New York	3	7	1
Philadelphia	5	10	0

Batteries—Hubbell, Gumbert, Gabler and Mancuso; C. Davis and Wilson.

Reds Still Slipping

PITTSBURGH, May 9 (AP). — Cy Blanton held the Reds to a pair of scratch hits in four innings today after the Pirates staged a five-run assault in the fifth to overcome an early lead, and the Bucs won their second successive game from Cincinnati, 10-6.

	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	6	12	3
Pittsburgh	10	13	0

Batteries—Nelson, Brennan, Hutcher and Lombardi; Weaver, Brown, Blanton and Padden.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

WASHINGTON, May 9 (AP).—Holding the Senators to seven scattered hits as his mates pounded Washington pitchers heavily, Rube Walberg won his first game of the year today, pitching Boston to a 9 to 5 win before 15,000 fans.

The victory allowed Boston to hold its slim lead over New York in the American League. The Red Sox hit Appleton, Linke and Bokina for sixteen hits.

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	9	16	0
Washington	5	7	4

Batteries—Walberg and R. Ferrell; Appleton, Linke, Bokina and Millies.

Gomez Tames Mackmen

NEW YORK, May 9 (AP).—Lefty Gomez recovered from a bad start to pitch hitless ball for the last seven innings and give the New York Yankees a 5-2 victory over the Philadelphia Athletics today. Lou Gehrig's fourth homer of the season started the Yanks' scoring. Joe Di Maggio, rookie left fielder, went hitless. He now has failed to hit in his last ten trips to the plate.

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	2	4	1
New York	5	8	1

Batteries—Kelley, Fink and Hayes; Gomez and Dickey.

Sox Trounce Browns

ST. LOUIS, May 9 (AP).—The St. Louis Browns ran their string of consecutive defeats up to an even dozen today by dropping a series opener to the Chicago White Sox, 7 to 3. The Browns used four pitchers.

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	7	7	0
St. Louis	3	11	1

Batteries — Caln and Sewell; Tietje, Knott, Caldwell, Hogsett and Hemsley.

End Losing Streak

DETROIT, May 9 (AP).—The Detroit Tigers ended their losing streak at the expense of Oral Hildebrand today, climbing back into the First Division with a 4 to 3 victory over the Cleveland Indians. The Tigers rallied behind Lynwood (Schoolboy) Rowe, but it took Billy Rogell's two-base drive to the right field screen in the last of the ninth to send Irving Burns home from first with the winning run.

Rowe shaded Hildebrand in a pitcher's battle, each allowing six hits.

	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	3	6	0
Detroit	4	6	1

Batteries — Hildebrand and Sullivan, Rowe and Cochrane.

COAST LEAGUE

OAKLAND, May 9 (AP).—Landing on the offerings of Henry Pippin for five hits in the second and third innings, the Oaks defeated Sacramento here today, 5 to 3, taking a 3-2 edge on the series.

	R.	H.	E.
Sacramento	3	7	1
Oakland	5	7	4

Batteries — Pippin and Head; Douglas and Raimondi.

Veteran Shows Class

SAN DIEGO, May 9 (AP). — With Herman Pillette, forty-one-year-old right-hander, turing in a four-hit performance, the San Diego Padres defeated the San Francisco Missions, 11 to 3, here today, chalking up their fourth straight victory and clinching the series.

	R.	H.	E.
Missions	3	4	1
San Diego	11	16	4

Batteries—Thurston, Gallison and Sprinz; Pillette and Desautels, Kerr.

Indians Blank Beavers

PORTLAND, May 9 (AP).—The Seattle Indians bunched hits in the fourth inning tonight to wallop the Portland Beavers, 2 to 0.

The winning runs resulted from three singles by Gyselman, Hunt and Wright, Gyselman scored on Wright's safe one, and Hunt came in when Lawrence batted into an out at second.

Barrett, on the mound for the Suds, yielded nine hits, but kept them well scattered. Liske and French gave out eight.

	R.	H.	E.
Seattle	2	8	0
Portland	0	9	1

Batteries — Barrett and Bassler; Liska, French and Brucker.

Night game at San Francisco.

	R.	H.	E.
Los Angeles	12	15	3
San Francisco	5	10	3

Batteries—Joyce, Gabler and Bottarini; Ballou, Cole, Mills and Monzo.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Albany 8, Buffalo 2.
Baltimore 1, Montreal 3.
Syracuse 3, 3; Toronto, 5, 3.
Newark 3, Rochester 6.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Columbus 22, Milwaukee 8.
St. Paul 8, Toledo 0.
Kansas City at Indianapolis, postponed; rain.
Louisville at Minneapolis, postponed; rain.

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Close Decision at First

CENTREFIELDER Hank Lieber, of New York Giants, took to the air in an effort to beat the throw on his infield blow in the second inning of an inter-borough clash with Brooklyn Dodgers. Buddie Hasset, crack rookie first baseman, pulled in the shortstop's snap throw, however, and Hank was called out while still off the ground. Here you can judge the play for yourself. Dodgers won, 4-3, in ten innings.

Victoria Cagemen Express Opinions Of Their Journey

Colonist Representative Gets Statement From Officials and Members of Squad—Crown Princes of Hospitality Made Known—Will Arrive Home This Afternoon

By FRANK ELLIOTT

SPENCE'S BRIDGE, B.C., May 9. —The last laps of an eventful journey, everyone is pleased at the prospect of seeing home again, but still wishing the trip was just beginning. Nice to be back where the trees are green, where the mountains surround us on all sides and the Prairie dust is far behind.

Last night Porky and Ollie were threatening to keep everyone awake all night so Doug, hoping to fool the boys, crawled into an empty upper with just a blanket and a pillow. The battle did not materialize, and Doug awoke at eleven this morning still in the top berth and only half ready for bed.

INDIVIDUAL OPINIONS

Johnny Johnson: "I think the trip across Canada has been an education to the boys."

Dave Nicol: "Sorry to be coming back without the title, but it is nice to know that the boys can take a defeat and still come up smiling."

Chuck Chapman: "I can't say that the Windsor Fords are a better team than the Dominoes, but they certainly outplayed us in the final series and fully deserved their victory."

Doug Peden: "A great experience but impossible to describe in a few words."

Art Chapman: "Winnipeg was great, and the best feature of Windsor was its closeness to Detroit."

Porky Andrew: "A good chance to catch up on my sleep."

Alex McKeachie: "Makes one appreciate Victoria, but would like to take this trip once a year just for variety."

Ollie Goldsmith: "The holiday of a lifetime. It is great to see green trees again."

Jack Mottishaw: "The people across Canada have certainly been swell."

Axel Kinnear: "I liked the plains and enjoyed meeting the people, especially the girls."

Al Perrins: "A splendid trip with a group of fine fellows. I do not believe I received a square deal from the officials or the newspapers in Windsor—they all seem so biased."

HEADS HOSPITALITY

Crown princes of hospitality in Canada: George Wilson, of Winnipeg; Father McGee, of Windsor; Mr. Mackenzie, of Saskatoon; the Mayor of Raymond.

Best food, compared with price: The Station Restaurant, Calgary.

Friendly people and pretty girls: Pass the orchids to Winnipeg.

Outstanding ball player: Curt Denning, of the Winnipeg Toilers.

Rolling home along the shores of Shuswap Lake and down to Kamloops, where all grabbed a sandwich. Decidedly warm in the train but nice outside.

Keep the coffee pot on and put the roast in the oven. See you all Sunday. This is "thirty" for the year. Good-bye.

BLACK HAWKS WIN

Black Hawks took the first game of the two-out-of-three series from the Oak Bay Lions yesterday morning in the under sixteen division in the Royal Juvenile Roller Hockey League by a 3-1 score. The winners will meet the Aces for the championship. The second game will take place tomorrow evening on Bank Street at 6 o'clock. Williams, McLeslie and Walker scored for the Hawks and Jones for Oak Bay.

Outboard Meeting

Monthly meeting of Vancouver Island Outboard Association will be held at the home of T. Y. Baldwin, 1342 Pandora Avenue, corner of Fernwood Road, on Wednesday at 8 o'clock. Special business in connection with the opening regatta of the season, which is to be held on May 25, will be discussed.

SEMI-WINDUP ON MAT CARD STEALS SHOW

Stojack Wins Wild Bout From Kitzmiller—Strongberg Loses Match

Good-looking Rudy Strongberg, German matman from St. Louis, is just the "hard-luck kid" in Victoria mat circles.

Yesterday evening at the Tillicum gymnasium, the young Teutonic grappler lost the main event of the weekly squirmfest on a foul, but the only person in the gymnasium, and there was a good house, who figured the bout that way was Johnny Pears, the referee. Of course, that's all that really matters, because his word is "law" when it comes to handing out the decision.

Tony Catalino, rugged Italian pachyderm, who from the very start uncorked enough unethical tactics to lose any wrestling match, was given the deciding fall in the fourth round when Strongberg, fighter that he is, started to pay "Tony" back in his own way. Pears warned the German a few times, and then brought the match to a dramatic and unexpected finish by awarding the Italian the winning fall. The fans booed the decision.

Tony Catalino gained the initial fall in the second session when he literally pushed Strongberg to the mat while gouging at the German's eyes, and then fell on him and pressed his shoulders to the canvas.

SQUARES MATCH

Strongberg squared matters in the third round when he really roughed up the Italian. After knocking Catalino down with a number of well-planned elbow butts, the German picked him up and slammed him to the mat for a fall. The end came in the next session when the German was disqualified for doing exactly what Catalino had been doing all evening and getting away with it. Strongberg weighed 220 pounds, two pounds more than Catalino.

A wild and exciting semi-windup that almost created a riot at the finish, stole the show, and had the fans on their feet many times during the bout. George Kitzmiller, 200-pound Portland wrestler and a real tough hombre, exploded most of the fireworks. Roughing things up from the very first sound of the gong, Kitzmiller soon had the fans against him, and whenever Frank Stojack curly-haired young Tacoma squirmer, had the better of the going, the fans, particularly the women, screamed their approval.

Kitzmiller, after a hectic second session in which the boys wrestled out of the ring, pinned Stojack with a shoulder press. The young Tacoman took plenty of punishment before the fall.

As the gong sounded for the next round, Kitzmiller rushed across the ring, like a tiger on its prey, only to come right into a drop kick that dropped him to the canvas with a resounding thud. Women jumped out of their seats and cheered as the curly-haired Tacoma boy gained the equalizing fall.

In the fourth session Kitzmiller really went "wild" and after tearing the steps off the ringside kept to pick up the chair and battle so long at Stojack. Like an infuriated man, Kitzmiller looked for something to throw at Stojack as he was counted out by the referee, and the Tacoma boy was declared the victor.

Into the ring rushed Kitzmiller and after Stojack, but Referee Pears intervened. This annoyed the Portlander still more and he forced Pears up against the ropes and then spun him over the top strand. Fans rushed to Pears' aid, while Kitzmiller dashed to the dressing rooms to further settle his argument, and in passing took a nice right to the face from a lady patron. Fans rushed to the dressing room entrance, and so did the police, but Chief Thomas Heatley soon had everything in order and quietness reigned once again. Kitzmiller weighed 200 pounds, five more than Stojack.

Louis Newman, Victoria, and Rudy Branner, Longview, grappled to a no-fall draw in the special event. The local boy made a good showing against his American opponent, and while there were no falls, the boys did considerable heavy wrestling. Newman weighed 193 pounds, seven pounds less than Branner.

Victoria fans had their first glimpse of a "battle-royal" in the opener, and seemed to like it. The boys put on a great show and the mad scramble, and it certainly was that, produced enough laughs to drive the blues away for a long time.

Rudy Branner went out first and he was followed by Louis Newman. Frank Stojack was eliminated in the third fall after the boys "ganged up" on him, and Kitzmiller was the fourth wrestler to hit the mat. Catalino and Strongberg survived the ordeal and gained for themselves the main spot on the card.

Risko Signs for Title Bout With Freddie Steele

SAN FRANCISCO, May 9 (AP).—Eddie "Babe" Risko, world's middleweight champion, signed a contract today with Nate Druxman, Seattle promoter, to defend his title in the Northwestern city against Freddie Steele, Tacoma, either late in June or early in July. It will be a fifteen-round battle.

MAINLANDERS BEAT GIANTS

Touring Japanese Baseball Team Drops Pair to Vancouver Nines

VANCOUVER, May 9 (AP).—Tokio Giants, touring Japanese baseball team, suffered two straight defeats today and tonight at the hands of two Vancouver all-star teams picked from the ranks of the Senior City League.

United All-Stars triumphed over the visitors, 4-0, in the afternoon fixture, and the night game saw the Clothiers All-Stars come from behind for a 10-6 win.

With Bill Richardson, in the box, holding the Giants to a bare six hits, Uniteds cracked down on Pitcher Hatafukin for eleven bingles, out of which materialized two runs in the second inning and two more in the fourth.

The second contest saw the Giants' star hurler Starffin knocked from the box in the seventh inning as the Clothiers All-Stars cracked down on him for two home runs. The first came in the fifth inning, with two aboard, which put the Stars ahead for the first time in the game. Martinez, all-star second-baseman, cracked out another circuit clout in the seventh.

Sawamura relieved Starffin, then only to be himself hit for a home run by Bill McCarthy, with one on, to cinch maters for the Stars.

First Game—	R.	H.	E.
Tokio Giants	9	6	2
Tokio Giants	bckgj	Meng	
United All-Stars	4	11	1

Batteries, Hatafuku and Nakayama; Richardson and Voipi.

Second Game—	R.	H.	E.
Tokio Giants	6	5	3
Clothiers All-Stars	10	9	2

Batteries, Starffin, Sawamura and Nakayama; Lewis and McCarthy.

Canzoneri Gunning For Ambers, Ross; McLarnin May Quit

Lightweight Champion Going After Contender for His Crown and Then Will Tackle Welter Champion—Jimmy in Seclusion

By EDDIE BRIETZ
(Associated Press Sports Writer)

NEW YORK, May 10 (AP).—While all the fight world buzzed with echoes of his spectacular defeat of Canadian Jimmy McLarnin on Friday night, little Tony Canzoneri, the lightweight champion, has trained his sights on still bigger game today. Nursing a badly cut nose in mid-town hide-away, one of the greatest little battlers of all time flung a challenge toward Chicago and the camp of Barney Ross, king of the welterweights. "First I want to get Lou Ambers out of the way," he said. "Then I'll be ready for Ross. I'll give McLarnin another bout, too, if he wants it."

TONY CANZONERI

Except for his damaged nose Tony came out of the bruising joust with the Vancouver boxer in good shape, but he plans to rest for six weeks before beginning training for Ambers. That makes it likely the lightweight title fight will not be held until July.

Canzoneri and McLarnin each drew down $22,658.12 as their share of the $85,763.50 gross gate. The garden dangled a return match with Canzoneri in McLarnin's face, but failed to get a definite answer.

MAY QUIT RING

Personally the game little Irishman would like another shot at Tony but all talk of a return to the ring meets with determined opposition, both from Jimmy's pretty wife and Manager Pop Foster.

"He should quit for good," said Pop. "He doesn't have to fight. Why should he take a chance of being permanently injured? He took a lot of rights on the jaw Friday night. Too many of them are not good for you."

Pop revealed that from the second round, when Tony dropped McLarnin to one knee until the seventh, Jimmy hardly knew where he was.

"He was in a daze," Pop said. "He was fighting entirely by instinct. After the seventh, when we told him he'd have to win the next three rounds, he said, 'We're going into the third, aren't we?'"

Old-timers agreed Friday night's exhibition was the greatest duel of little men in twenty-five years.

FIGHTS FRIDAY

Pedro Montanez, sensational Spanish lightweight, who has not been defeated in his fourteen starts in this country, makes his debut in the Garden Friday night in a ten-rounder with Leonard Del Gemo, one of the best of the 135-pound trial horses.

HEAVIES TRAINING

Primo Carnera, the Italian mountain, and Leroy Haynes, Philadelphia negro, have started training for their ten-round heavyweight show, which opens the outdoor season at Ebbets Field, Brooklyn, May 27. Carnera is at Summit, N.J., Haynes at Pompton Lakes, N.J.

GOLF FACTS
NOT THEORIES
By ALEX MORRISON

Recently I have given several exercises covering the most important parts of the swing—gripping the club, addressing the ball, and starting the club back right—up to starting the downswing. Now I bring you to a stage of the swing where the shot is made or spoiled.

Most players look upon the downswing as the only real important part of the swing. This is wrong, because your downswing cannot be one bit better than your backswing. Having made the correct backswing, all you have to do is keep your chin properly pointed and swing the club downward toward the ball.

Any attempt to guide the club or consciously direct parts of your body in the downswing results only in upsetting the swing as a whole. It spoils the timing and blending of the various movements. When you give most of your attention to pointing your chin, you'll find that the rest of your swing is under subconscious control, the sort of control under which it is almost impossible to make a mistake.

Practice swinging down and keeping your chin pointed back of the ball. In covering the hitting position I'll tell you more about the chin.

BRENTWOOD COLLEGE CRICKET FIXTURES

Brentwood College cricket fixtures for the season follow:

May 13—First XI vs. Shawnigan Lake School, at Shawnigan.
May 16—Second XI vs. St. George's School, at Brentwood.
May 19—First XI vs. Shawnigan Lake School, at Brentwood.
May 23—First XI vs. University School, at Brentwood.
May 30—Second XI vs. University School, Second XI, at Mount Tolmie.
June 6—First XI vs. North Shore College, at Brentwood.
June 10—Second XI vs. St. Michael's School, at Brentwood.
June 13—First XI vs. Mr. Dunlop's XI, at Brentwood.

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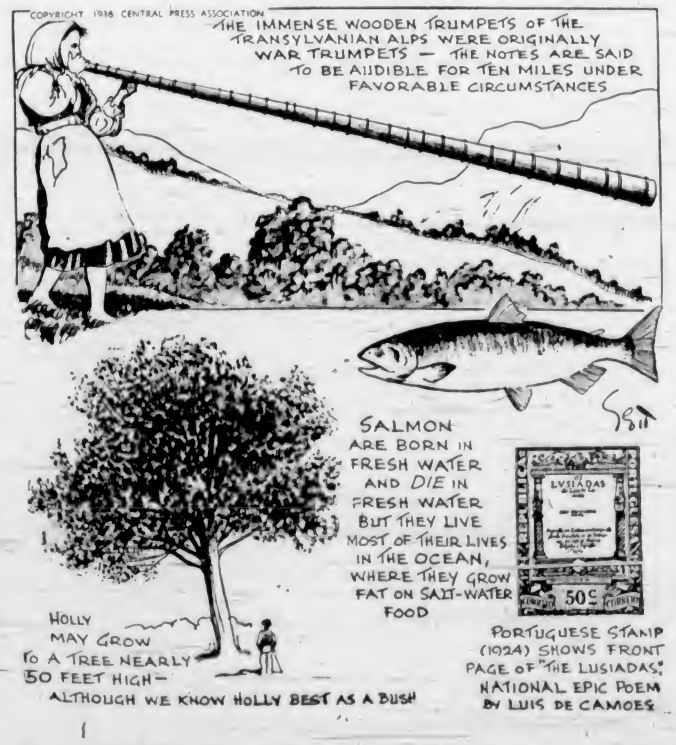

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INFLATION CAPTURES GREAT JUBILEE HANDICAP

Gallops to Close Triumph in Race At Kempton Park

Finishes a Neck in Front of His Reverence to Spring Surprise—The Blue Boy Is Third by One and One-Half Lengths—Omaha Leads in First Try in England

KEMPTON PARK, England, May 9 (AP.)—C. Winn's Inflation, a 20-to-1 shot, today won the great Jubilee Handicap at Kempton Park.

A neck behind in second place was G. F. Anneslev's His Reverence, quoted at 9 to 2. Lord Portal's The Blue Boy finished third, one and one-half lengths back of His Reverence, and quoted at 20 to 1, the same odds as Inflation. Sixteen ran over the course of one mile and a quarter.

Guest of Honor, owned by Mrs. Henry Hawkins, was scratched shortly before post time.

Inflation, ridden by Jockey Cliff Richards, carried an impost of 112 pounds. The highly-fancied His Reverence was handicapped at 127 pounds and ridden by Burns. Sirett had the mount on The Blue Boy, handicapped at 116 pounds.

The race was worth approximately $15,000. Inflation's time was two minutes six seconds.

WERE FAVORED

Mrs. Washington Singer's Rippon Tor and His Reverence were joint favorites in the betting.

As he did at Epsom last month in winning the City and Suburban Stakes, His Reverence dashed into the lead early and was well clear of the field at the half-way mark, where his nearest pursuers were Rippon Tor, Milldoria and Inflation. From this distance Inflation challenged and took a lead of a length. His Reverence came on again in a most determined effort, but Inflation hung on to win cleverly.

J. P. Hornung's Pegasus was fourth.

Inflation is a bay four-year-old by Bulger-Casa D'Oro.

OMAHA WINS EASILY

KEMPTON PARK, England, May 9 (AP.)—In his first race over British turf, Omaha, big chestnut from William Woodward's stable, the United States' leading three-year-old last year easily defeated five rivals in the one and one-half miles of the Victor Wild Stakes today.

Almost without stretching his long legs, Omaha passed three of his opponents, Montrose, Lobau and Marshal Fields' Enfield, at the head of the stretch, and automatically established himself as a favorite for the Ascot Gold Cup to be run on June 18.

At the finish, the son of Gallant Fox was one and one-half lengths in front of Montrose, carrying the silks of Mrs. MacDonald Buchanan, with Lady Bergavenny's Lobau another five lengths back. Although it was his first race over turf, Omaha was odds-on favorite at 4 to 5.

"Omaha is one of the greatest horses I've ever ridden," declared Jockey Pat Beasley after the race. What impressed the experts most was the ease with which Omaha bounded from fourth place a half-mile from the finish line to take the lead within fifty yards.

For the first mile Beasley was content to let Omaha trail the pace, just as he did in winning the Kentucky Derby, Preakness, Belmont Stakes and the Arlington classic in the United States last year.

British Fans Witnessing Dead Heat

A Head-On Picture of the Finish of the Great Metropolitan Handicap, as Quashed and Jack Tar Flashed Past the Post in a Dead Heat for First Place. It Is Very Rare That Two Horses Cross the Finishing Line on Equal Terms.

GOOD RACES AT SCHOOL SPORTS

Many Fine Events at St. Michael's Annual Meet—Prizes Presented

The eighteenth annual sports meet of the St. Michael's School was held yesterday afternoon at the Falkland Road field, when an excellent programme of events was run off. A large crowd of parents and friends witnessed the many fine races, while the novelty events caused much laughter.

The inter-house relay race was won by Black House after a thrilling race, while honors in the half-mile went to Andrew Gillespie. Scout races caused many laughs when the air-balls refused to travel in the right direction or burst in midair.

The meet was well organized by K. W. Symons, while Izard, Parsons and Bridgeman acted as judges. C. E. Ley was the recorder. Afternoon tea and the presentation of prizes in the school by Mrs. K. C. Symons brought an enjoyable afternoon's sport to an end.

Results follow:

Sprint, under 11—1, Wells; 2, Panet; 3, Parsons.

Sprint, under 12½—1, Mangin; 2, Gillespie III.; 3, Pudney II.

Sprint, under 13½—1, Treherne; 2, Gillespie II.; 3, Angus.

Sprint, open—1, J. Kidd; 2, McCallum; 3, W. Kidd.

Pickaback — 1, McCallum and Brown; 2, Gillespie II. and Wells; 3, J. Kidd and Treherne.

Hurdles, under 11—1, Wells; 2, Panet; 3, Parsons.

Hurdles, under 12½—1, Hughes; 2, Mangin; 3, Mackenzie.

Hurdles, under 13½—1, Angus; 2, Brown; 3, Macdonald II.

Hurdles, open—1, McCallum; 2, J. Kidd.

Slow bicycle—1, Todd; 2, Ley; 3, Mangin.

Half-lap, under 11—1, Wells; 2, Panet; 3, Parsons.

Half-lap, under 12½—1, Gillespie II.; 2, Knox; 3, Mangin.

One lap, under 13½—1, Gillespie II.; 2, Treherne; 3, Putney I.

Two laps, open—1, J. Kidd and McCallum (tied); 3, Ley.

Small brothers—1, N. Bridgeman; 2, R. Ley; 3, D. Levy.

Small sisters—1, Daphne Mangin; 2, K. Gillespie; 3, M. Mackenzie.

Big sisters—1, U. Mackenzie; 2, Mary Worsley; 3, M. Kidd.

Four-legged race—1, Brown, Hansen and Treherne; 2, Carter, Forbes and McCallum.

House relay—1, Black House, W. Kidd (captain).

Sack race—1, Treherne; 2, Gillespie II.; 3, Worsley.

Cubs—1, Mangin; 2, Fleming; 3, Gillespie III.

Scouts—1, Brown; 2, Boak; 3, Worsley.

Mothers—1, Mrs. Mackenzie; 2, Mrs. Baugh-Allen; 3, Mrs. Brown.

Fathers—1, Mr. Carter; 2, Major Turner; 3, Captain Fleming.

Old Boys—1, J. Eberts; 2, M. Symons; 3, J. Barber-Starkey.

Half-mile—1, Gillespie III.; 2, Mackenzie; 3, J. Kidd.

Consolation race, under 12½—1, Turner II.; 2, Levy; 3, Bersha.

Consolation race, under 13½—1, Woodcroft II.; 2, Knight; 3, Watson.

Consolation race, open—1, Izard; 2, Gillespie I.; 3, Turner I.

High jump, under 12½—1, Mangin and Hughes (tied); 3, Gillespie III.

High jump, under 13½—1, Gillespie II. and Macdonald II. (tied); 3, Pudney I.

High jump, open—1, McCallum; 2, Macdonald I.; 3, J. Kidd.

Long jump, under 12½—1, Hughes; 2, Gillespie III.; 3, Mangin.

Long jump, under 13½—1, Gillespie II.; 2, Brown; 3, Pudney I.

Long jump, open—1, J. Kidd; 2, W. Kidd; 3, Macdonald I.

Throwing cricket ball, under 13½—1, Gillespie II.; 2, Hansen; 3, Pudney I.

Throwing cricket ball, open—1, J. Kidd; 2, W. Kidd; 3, Macdonald I.

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CHURCHILL RACING

CHURCHILL DOWNS, Ky., May 9.—Results here today follow:

First Race—Seven furlongs:

Bookmaker (Baird) ... 58.60 14.00 13.40
Higher Cloud (Kurtsinger) ... 3.20 2.40
Prince Fellow (M. Garner) ... 3.20
Time, 1:24 3-5. Also ran: Kadish, Over Yonder, Sons Maker, Spur Flower.

Second Race—Four and one-half furlongs:

Hi Sonny (Stevenson) ... 33.40 12.60 13.20
Queen Girl (Alvarez) ... 3.60 2.20
Par (Porter) ... 2.00
Time, :53. Also ran: Skeeter, Rhythm, Hausman, The Tinkerman, Indio. Lad, Sybil, Palan, Arabs Arrow, Lakeview.

Third Race—Six furlongs:

Candescent (Kurtsinger) ... $14.40 16.00 $ 4.40
Trinchera (Haas) ... 4.80 4.40
Creolonian (Baird) ... 19.40
Time, 1:12. Also ran: Mrs. Melody, Master Buck, Cumene, Enterprise, Hi-Ho, Rogue, Dark Woman, Gay Gigue, Judge Blake, Rainfed, Wavy Rea.

Fourth Race—Six and one-half furlongs:

Barrier Kate (Corbett) ... $4.80 12.80 12.40
Pelwin (Jones) ... 6.20 4.40
Lieksage (Longman) ... 3.00
Time, 1:18 1-5. Also ran: Hastings, Crown of Glory, Bert Reid, My Blaze, Black Miss, Spanish Lad.

Fifth Race—Six and one-half furlongs:

Violenth (James) ... $16.40 11.40 14.20
Top Dog (Pierson) ... 6.40 5.20
Money Green (Porter) ... 3.80
Time, 1:17 3-5. Also ran: Don Crespo, Chief Cherokee, Arch Crook, St. Bernard.

Sixth Race—Five furlongs:

Murray Arms ... 16.20 13.00 12.40
Foolish Moment (Stevenson) ... 3.20 2.80
Prairie Dog (Wall) ... 5.20
Time, 59 1-5. Also ran: Kermar, Gin Daisy, Viajero, Dogaway, Evening Tide, Fast Express, Chenault, Sweepalot, Ginocchio, Proph, Little Empress, Shootin High, Billionaire.

Seventh Race—Mile and one-sixteenth:

Navahoe (Haas) ... 14.60 12.00 12.60
High Diver (James) ... 4.20 3.20
Kiewon (Pierson) ... 6.40
Time, 1:46. Also ran: Gay Dog, Amazing, Wild Turkey, Buddie Treacy.

Eighth Race—Mile and one-eighth:

Lekauit (Haas) ... 16.80 8.20 14.00
Celiba (James) ... 11.00 5.60
Damascene (Calvert) ... 3.00
Time, 1:52 2-5. Also ran: Pot Au Brioche, Biatrita, Calme, Pasha, Puddin Head.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

First Race—Four and one-half furlongs:

Equanimity ... 116
Dassend ... 111
Lockstep ... 116
Miba ... 116
Ada W ... 116
Starry Skies ... 116
Hippomina ... 116
Sister Pan ... 111
Hilda ... 116
Trysmurry ... 116
Comedia Mario ... 116
George Meaden ... 116
Dessurt ... 116
Forget ... 116
Chestnut Queen ... 116
Indian Love ... 111
Stairs ... 116
Hum ... 116
Second Mom ... 116
Imperial Daisy ... 116

Second Race—Six and one-half furlongs:

Royal I. ... 99
Bright Orphan ... 109
Girls Good ... 109
Gusto ... 109
Prince Ilan ... 114
Spur Flower ... 109
Inorbit ... 114
Sardine ... 99
Lucky Foot ... 106
Bermondsey ... 99
Our Bessy ... 99
Vedas Choice ... 113
Arms ... 109
Dancette ... 109
Caprice ... 104
Chickasale ... 114
Sun Chief ... 113
Kennard ... 113
Chief Hope ... 108
Chief Kiwa ... 113

Third Race—Six and one-half furlongs:

Gold ... 118
Mexican Time ... 118
Tiny Tim ... 108
Lucky Amelia ... 108
Infinite ... 108
Prince John ... 113
Kiss Curse ... 108
Scaze ... 113
Continual ... 113
Tessie Hill ... 113
Judge Barkley ... 118
Sir Alice ... 118
Golden Chief ... 108
Prince Dee ... 118
Yosemite Willow ... 107
Broadway Wild ... 118
Bonnie ... 108
Hot ... 118
Kay Affinity ... 103
Tyrol ... 103
Fourth Race—Five and one-half furlongs:
Wow ... 111
Hi Cotton ... 116
Mexican ... 112
Lady Lorraine ... 116
Ajax ... 117
Jesse B. ... 112
Hoist Polly ... 117
Gay Lad ... 116
Cool ... 116
Alabrook ... Race entry
Fifth Race—One mile:
Gloria ... 110
Pilot ... 110
Wee ... 117
Sixth Race—One mile:
Mr. Bingo ... 108
Ellis ... 113
Mr. Dear ... 108
Cliff ... 101
Willow Tree ... 105

HUNTTING CUP MATCH TO BE PLAYED TODAY

Victoria Forces on Hand to Defend Golf Trophy on The Mainland

VANCOUVER, May 9 (CP.)—Shaughnessy golf course, its greens and fairways groomed, will be the scene of keen competition for the next week as feminine golfing stars from Victoria and Vancouver clash—first in play for the Huntting Cup tomorrow, and then in the British Columbia women's golf championship.

Whether the cream of Vancouver's feminine golfing ranks will be good enough to regain the Huntting Cup, emblematic of women's golf supremacy between the two cities, was a subject of much discussion around the links tonight. Last year the Vancouver team paid a visit to Victoria and there, on the rolling greens of Colwood course, were bested 7½ to 4½ by the Victorians, and although this year it is the Islanders who are making the trip, headed by long-hitting Marjorie Todd, they are again regarded as a threat not to be taken lightly.

MARJORIE TODD

According to the draw for opening play of the British Columbia championship, which starts Monday, only three Victorians were scheduled to compete.

Mrs. B. R. Philbrick, of Oak Bay, will meet Miss M. McNab, of Point Grey, Vancouver; Mrs. H. P. Crowe, of Colwood, will meet Mrs. J. Hamilton, of Shaughnessy, and Mrs. Z. Huse, of Colwood, will be matched against Mrs. S. Clements, of Shaughnessy.

After the teams crossed over, Belgium's forwards played a dashing game, badly rattling the opposing defence. Isenborg, inside left, put the scores level, and then Flevez, fast outside right, added two more. Three minutes from the end, Hobbis reduced the margin, bundling the ball and himself into the net in a last desperate effort.

Archers to Open Outdoor Season

Victoria archers will open the 1936 outdoor season this afternoon at the Saanich Recreation Park, with shooting scheduled to commence at 2 o'clock.

The American round for advanced archers, and the Columbia round for the women will be on the programme. Miss Nancy Hepburn will be lady paramount and Paul W. Rookes will act as field captain.

All interested in archery are invited to attend.

ALEXANDER AND WATT WIN QUOITS FIXTURE

Several members of the Victoria Quoiting Club went to Esquimalt yesterday afternoon to open the grounds on Pioneer Street. A doubles fixture was played between T. Alexander and S. Watt and D. McCaig and J. Manson, and resulted in a win for the former pair by a 25-18 score.

The feature of the match was the pitching of Simon Watt, veteran quoiter, who is rapidly regaining his old-time form.

Members of the first division of the league are reminded that play commences this week.

Albions and University School Cricket Winners

Former Defeats Five C's, 120 to 81, at Beacon Hill Park and Latter Wins From Brentwood College, 73-45—Gibbons Hits Well

Victoria's 1936 cricket season was ushered in yesterday with two friendly matches.

Playing at Beacon Hill Park, Albions defeated the Five C's, 120 to 81, while at the University School grounds the home side defeated visiting Brentwood College cricketers, 73 to 45.

Les Gibbons, one of the city's leading batsmen, displayed mid-season form with the bat by hitting out for 51 runs before being bowled by Attwell.

Comley and Griffin, with 24 and 20 runs respectively, were the high batsmen for the churchmen.

Attwell was very effective with the ball, sending down thirteen overs and securing six wickets for 39 runs. E. D. Freeman had the splendid analysis of three wickets for 4 runs.

UNIVERSITY SCHOOL WINS

The batting of Young 1., who contributed 34 runs to the University School's total score, was one of the features of the match at Mount Tolmie. Teagle, with 18 runs, was the only other member of the home side to reach double figures.

Nation bowled well for the visitors, taking five wickets for 31 runs. He topped the Brentwood batsmen with an even dozen runs to his credit.

Huff was in rare form and accounted for four of the visitors' wickets for 12 runs, and Teagle dismissed three Brentwood hitters for a like number of runs.

The scores:

Albions

Swan, run out	14
Pritchard, c Yoxall, b Payne	4
P. Freeman, c Pelch, b Attwell	1
Smith, c Nixon, b Payne	6
Maurice, b Attwell	18
Gibbons, b Attwell	51
Baker, c Yoxall, b Attwell	1
Walton, c Tuthill, b Attwell	9
Don Pite, c Anders, b Griffin	0
E. D. Freeman, b Attwell	12
N. F. Pite, c Nixon, b Griffin	3
Enoch, not out	1
Total	120

Five C's

Comley, b Freeman	24
Yoxall, b Maurice	13
Griffin, c Baker, b Smith	20
Whitehead, b Maurice	4
Nixon, b Smith	2
Payne, b Smith	2
Petch, b Freeman	13
Tuthill, b Enoch	0
Attwell, c N. F. Pite, b Smith	2
Anders, b Freeman	0
Kerslake, not out	1
Total	81

Bowling Analysis

Albions—	O	W	R
P. C. Payne	10	2	63
Attwell	13	6	39
Griffin	3 1	2	18

Five C's—	O.	W.	R.
Enoch	7	1	33
Smith	11	4	21
Gibbons	1	-	11
Freeman	4 7	3	4
Maurice	5	2	12

University School

Smith, b Nation	0
Young 1., c Nation, b Allan	34
Henderson, b Allan	0
Huff, lbw, b Nation	6
Teagle, c Wells, b Nation	18
Jeanneret, c Nation, b Field	2
Spencer, c Kidd, b Field	0
Proudfoot, b Nation	0
Pott, b Nation	0
Massy 1., b Allan	9
Sproule, not out	0
Extras	4
Total	73

Brentwood College

Bassett, c Sproule, b Huff	7
Nation, b Huff	12
Field, lbw, b Jeanneret	5
Mitchell, b Teagle	3
Kidd, c Sproule, b Young 1.	6
Rhodes, lbw, Huff	3
Izard, b Huff	0
D. Wilby, c Huff, b Young 1.	0
Allan, c Pott, b Teagle	3
Wells, c Smith, b Teagle	2
D. Holmes, not out	0
Extras	4
Total	45

Bowling Analysis

University School—	O	W	R
Nation	10	5	31
Allan	6	3	18
Field	5	2	14
Kidd	1	-	3

Brentwood College—	O	W.	R
Huff	8	4	12
Jeanneret	3	1	14
Teagle	4	3	12
Young 1.	3	2	3

He'll Try Again... By Jack Sords

Kelly Petillo

WINNER OF THE 1935 INDIANAPOLIS SPEEDWAY AUTOMOBILE RACE WITH AN AVERAGE SPEED OF 106.240 MILES PER HOUR FOR THE 500 MILES

ENGLISH SIDE BEATEN AGAIN

Drop International Football Fixture to Belgians by 3-2 Score

BRUSSELS, May 9 (AP.)—Losing its second international soccer match in four days, a strong England team today was defeated, 3-2, by Belgium after leading, 1-0, at halftime.

Against Austria on Wednesday, the touring squad failed by a 2-1 score.

Travel-weary and disorganized through injuries, the English team appeared to take things easy in the first forty-five minutes after Camsell had opened the scoring shortly after the game started.

The foreign visitor to Germany who sighs for criticism of the powers that be is naturally not likely to find many traces of it in the pages of the German press. But every now and again one or other of the bolder spirits seems to venture—oh, so delicately!—on the fringes, at least, of forbidden topics. The following side-glance, in a picture paper, at the anti-Jewish boycott must have been welcome to some readers as a breath of fresh air.

It shows a picture of a worthy householder peeping through his curtained window at the house opposite, and the legend is:

"The authorities nowadays are a slovenly lot. Yesterday I wrote an anonymous letter to the police, telling them that Schulze, who invited me to dinner the other day, still has Heine's works in his bookcase and they haven't arrested him yet."

NORTH SHORE TRIUMPHS, 4-1

Defeats New Westminster Royals to Take Lead in Soccer League

VANCOUVER, May 9 (CP.)—North Shore United stepped into the lead of the Mainland Soccer League today with a 4-1 triumph over Royals at New Westminster. Other games in Murrin Cup play saw Saint Saviours take a 1-0 victory from Vancouver Liberals at the Royal City, and Johnston's Nationals beat out Vancouver Rangers, 3-2, at North Vancouver.

Although North Shore's first two goals were "lucky" shots, they were masters of the situation in the second half. Findler opened the scoring for Royals with a hard drive in the first fifteen minutes, but Spencer had evened it up before the half with a shot which Strong fumbled, but let slip by. On resuming play Spencer again scored after Strong had fumbled the shot. Cummings and McManus banged in the other North Shore counters.

In the other battle at New Westminster the first half went scoreless, but McMurdo gave the Saints their lone goal with a hard drive shortly after resumption of play.

The Nationals-Rangers battle on North Shore, although of no consequence, proved interesting and tight-squeeze win for Johnstons.

METS CAPTURE SOCCER CROWN

Defeat Lake Hill in Final Play-Off Series in Sunday School Loop

Activities in the Sunday School Football League came to a fitting conclusion yesterday morning at the Royal Athletic Park when the Metropolitans won the final game of the play-off series by defeating Lake Hill, 5 to 1.

Metropolitans led at half-time by four clear goals, obtained through Jordan and the two Fuller brothers. Lorne Fuller got two markers and Ray Fuller one. The score indicates the run of the play for Lake Hill's few visits to Metropolitans' territory were not really dangerous. The suburbanites' combination play was ineffective against the more vigorous movements of a much heavier team.

LAKE HILL PRESSES

Lake Hill commenced the second half with determination to force the Mets, and Kitching found the net to open the score. End to end play was indulged in for twenty minutes, when Lake Hill staged a bombardment on their opponents' goal, but could not penetrate an airtight defence.

Williams put on the fifth goal for the Mets in the last breakaway of a fast, clean game, thereby winning the series by a wide margin, largely due to a sturdy rear division.

P. J. Woodley handled the whistle.

FRIENDLY CRICKET

Wednesday League elevens captained by Noel Smith and Frank Tyrrell, respectively, will play a friendly cricket match Wednesday afternoon at Beacon Hill Park at 2:30 o'clock.

Percy Shrimpton, league secretary, announced last night that league play will start one week later.

SPORT SNAPSHOTS

Easy Victory—Cycle Wins Paumonok Handicap at Jamaica Easily Four and One-Half Lengths Ahead of Psychic Bid.

Rockford Rows—Rockford (Ill.) College Crew Row in Four Man Shells on the Rock River, Preparing for Season.

Thundering Herd—Start of Recent Boston Marathon, in Which 188 Runners Essayed the Twenty-Six Mile Grind Won by an Indian.

Pull for Princeton—Tiger Oarsmen Swing Sweeps in Practice Session as Spring Comes to Lake Carnegie.

SKATING CARNIVAL

Featured by a number of novelty skating numbers a skating carnival will be held at the Victoria Roller Skating Rink on Thursday, May 14, commencing at 7:30 o'clock. Another interesting feature will be the roller hockey match between the Rangers and the Maple Leafs.

He had just been worsted in a business deal and he was very angry.

"I look upon you, sir, as a rascal!" he said.

"You are privileged," said his rival, "to look upon me in any character you care to assume."

TOMORROW'S CHILD

by JULIE ANNE MOORE

CHAPTER XI

Leeze had said, "Stop at a telephone somewhere and I'll give Chinny a buzz. Chinny's an awful kid, but he's a senior at Yale and that ought to help." And so they had driven twenty-five miles and found the lumbering young giant called Chinny who had promptly pulled Leeze into his car and led the way to a rather ordinary roadside place that boasted a floor show.

It was a sad little show, but the orchestra was fair and Chinny seemed to know every one, including the waiters and the musicians, and Leeze was having a grand time.

Long ago when they were leaving New Manchester Val's awkward apology for Aunt Mahala's outburst brought from Leeze, "But you're not the one to be sorry—this is the second time I've brought you grief, Val, and I feel pretty bad about it." Looking away, she said, "What a fool I was to think you were trying to make Guy . . . and continued to think it until Cran broke down and gave me the inside about you two. I'm glad—" a hand on Val's sleeve then, eyes bright with feeling—"for you, Val. Cran's too swell to be true. I'd go for him myself if I could get Guy out of my system."

And now as she danced with Cran and felt the warm little circle where his cheek touched her head and heard the low husky voice close to her ear and thought of the gentleness of it, Val understood that a kiss given casually on a Pennsylvania highway after a wild night at Pete Gaboran's had left an indelible imprint on this sweet boy's heart.

He could not tell her quickly enough. . . . "It's the real thing, Val. Wake up in the morning and you're all over the place, go around thinking about you and wanting to see you every minute of the day, tumble off to sleep every night remembering how your eyes say things that can't be put into words and the way you toss your head when you laugh, and . . ."

"Hush . . .!" Val said. "You mustn't talk like that, Cran." Her voice was casual enough, but her throat ached with the pain of knowing she must hurt him. . . . Haven't you ever kissed a girl just because you thought it might be fun to kiss her, Cran? . . . I mean—a kiss doesn't mean anything, does it? Like that night when we were driving back to New York. Remember? You—you wanted to kiss me and I wanted you to and you did and . . .". But she couldn't go through with it—not now. The way he looked at her . . . the startled look of his eyes, the tightened muscles of the arm holding her to him drained her courage.

"Go on," he said. "Maybe I'll begin to make some sense out of what you're saying after a little. . . . I wanted to kiss you and you wanted me to and I did and—why the pause?"

"What do you think?" Head dropped back, smiling, thinking: vI must make him understand before he goes away tonight. Understand principally, she meant, about Robert—Robert who would look upon this nice boy as a juvenile. But she simply could not tell him now. When he continued to look down at her in silence, she said again, "What do you think, fella?"

"I think you're too darned sweet to be real," he said" . . . and I think I'm the luckiest bird in the world." And as if that settled everything, he dropped his head again and his cheek lay against the cushion of her red-brown hair until a voice said:

"Ain't love sum'n!" And there was Chinny tapping Cran on the shoulder and holding out his arms to Val. "Leeze tells me it's romance in full bloom, but being a hard-boiled realist, I'm skeptical. Tell me about it—does your heart do things and do you turn weak all over every time you hear his name?"

Val laughed. "Funny," she said, "but it's one of the things you can't reduce to mere words. But why should you ask me? I'll bet you're an authority on the subject, Chinny."

"Love!" said Chinny with great disgust. "I wouldn't recognize it if I found it in my soup. And I wouldn't eat the soup if I did."

At 11 o'clock Val told Cran: "I'd like to stay on until you and Leeze and Chinny were ready to go, but—you know how things are. Couldn't you take me home and come back?"

Cran understood. He went off to find Leeze and Chinny and presently came back with Val's things and his own hat and coat.

It was a dark, moonless night and a fog was creeping up from the sound.

Val knew what Cran would say and do—what she must say and not do. They were as far as the circumstances were concerned, back on the Pennsylvania highway now. . . . A boy and a girl definitely conscious that they were a boy and a girl . . . alone, and keenly aware of that, too . . . Cran would put his arm about her shoulders and draw her to him, and after a little he would take his foot from the accelerator and the car would gradually lose speed until they were not moving . . . and then. . . .

"Do you really prefer sitting off in a corner by yourself? Come on, close in and let's pretend we're friends."

She looked at him. Now, Val—It isn't easy, but it isn't going to be any easier if you put it off. But his arm had slid along the back of the seat now, and was pulling her against him. Tell him, tell him, tell him! The hum of the motor was changing key. You little idiot! Tell him—now!

The idling motor purred softly.

"Val, I feel like a sap saying it, but—". Putting a finger under her chin, waiting until her face came up, waiting until he could see her eyes . . . "I love you, Val . . ."

"Oh, Cran . . .!" Clinging to him then, just as she had that first time, feeling his lips on her lips, feeling his arms tight about her,—suddenly wanting to be kissed, wanting to be held in his arms, wanting it terribly and no longer caring that she hadn't the courage to tell him.

Save for the eerie glow of the night lamp in Aunt Mahala's bedroom the house was dark. Val held her arm down in the dashlight; it was after 1 o'clock.

"See here, Val," Cran said softly, "I'll wait around if you think your aunt——"

"It's all right, Cran," she told him quickly. "She'll be all right in the morning." She put a hand on the door, impulsively turning back. It was not courage now but desperation that made her say, "I don't want to hurt. You'll understand that when you've had time to think it over. You'll understand that I had to be honest with you—that I couldn't simply let you go away and learn the truth from someone else . . . I'm going to be married, Cran . . . in three weeks. I tried to make myself tell you—" Hurrying now, not giving him a chance to say anything. "I tried very hard to tell you, but I couldn't and I want you to know why I couldn't—because I wanted you to do what you did. I wanted you to kiss me, Cran. It doesn't make sense, I know, yet it's true . . . But I don't love you. That's the hardest thing of all to say—you see, it would be so easy to let myself think that I do, Cran, and it wouldn't be true since I wouldn't be getting ready to marry another man unless I loved him. You can understand that. You're sweet—and I'll never regret—anything; but—I hope you won't hate me, Cran . . ."

She didn't want to cry, but as she watched the little taillights skimming through the semi-darkness, her cheeks were suddenly wet. To the last he hadn't said anything, just looked at her, lips parted, the way he had looked at Aunt Mahala when she had been abusing Leeze in the living-room. He had been so sure of her, so confident she was in love with him . . .

"Oh, if I only knew what love is!" She thought, as she turned toward the house. "But it isn't that. It isn't just—wanting to be held in a man's arms . . . to be kissed."

The door opened of its own accord. Mrs. Warren stood there, finger to her lips. She closed the door softly, put a finger to her lips again, then motioned for Val to follow and led the way to the kitchen, cautiously closing each door.

In the bright light of the kitchen Val saw that the housekeeper had been crying.

"Warren—what is it"

"Shhh!" Her voice was a hoarse, frightened whisper: "She said I wasn't to let you in, Miss Val." Her lip quivered dangerously, but she went on "Miss Val, she was terrible: I've never seen her so. She said she never wanted you to put foot in this house again' . . ." She was crying now, shutting her eyes to try to stop the tears.

Val said, "She was angry, Warren. She didn't mean that. Tomorrow——"

"I don't know, Miss Val . . . I don't know. If you could've seen her." She looked up through her tears: "And when the telegram came—she told me to tear it up and burn the pieces."

"A telegram—for me, Warren?"

Mrs. Warren thrust a hand into the bosom of her black dress and drew out the yellow envelope. "It come right after you went off . . ."

Val tore open the envelope and read:

Hugh needs you desperately stop Impressive you come at once and tell police what you know stop You may be able to save him. Kate

Val stared at the message, not seeing the words, now, trying to reach a decision—understanding at last that there was nothing to decide. She had no alternative.

Abruptly she said, "I'm going to New York, Warren—tonight. There's a train out at 2. And Warren—I want you to try to make Aunt Mahala understand that I am going because I may be able to save a man's life. Show her the message and tell her I'll explain everything when I come back."

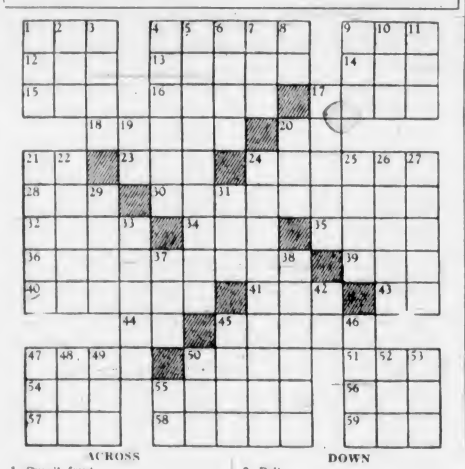
Her eyes dropped to the message once more . . . words screamed up at her:

You may be able to save him . . .

A cold wave of fear swept over her as she thought of how little she knew, how little she could tell the police—that she had seen Hugh Malcolm in front of the theatre only a few paces from the narrow passageway by which escape from backstage would have been entirely possible.

(To Be Continued)

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle



ACROSS

1. Small fruit.
4. Carved stone.
9. To cheat.
12. South American Indian.
13. Salt water.
14. Caoutchouc tree.
15. Goal.
16. Maple genus.
17. Brought up.
20. Parent.
21. Type measure.
23. Corded fabric.
24. Prayer book.
28. Colloquial: to beat.
30. Assiduity.
32. Mental image.
34. Decade.
35. Roster.
36. To vex.
39. Bovine genus.
40. Rubber.
41. Light brown.
43. Note of scale.
44. Latin conjunction.
45. Giant of 100 eyes.
47. Principal part.
50. Son of Adam.
51. Teutonic goddess.
54. Arabian garment.
55. Sacred book.
56. Man's name.
57. Dowry.
58. Costume.
59. In music: high.

DOWN

1. Adversary.
2. River of Europe.
3. Runs about.
4. Took on fuel.
5. Bird of prey.
6. Reward.
7. Heed.
8. Forward.
9. Pelt.
10. Palm leaf (variant).
11. Couch.
17. Lower.
19. Conjunction.
20. Chunk of metal.
21. To omit.
22. Lowest point.
24. Singers.
25. One affecting superiority.
26. Mine.
27. To rent.
29. Plateau.
31. Meadow.
33. Parts of churches.
37. To permit.
38. Gold coins.
42. Greek letter.
45. Clerical title.
46. African tree.
47. Angry.
48. Finnish city.
49. Held session.
50. Manner.
52. Cloth measure.
53. Lighted.
55. Board (abbr.).

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

Those Splitting Headaches A Symptom of Disease

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

The cause of headache is the accumulation of poisonous matter in the blood which spreads with it, every moment, to all parts of the body.

This poisoning of the system must be cleared up before you can get rid of the headache, which is a symptom of an unhealthy condition of the body.

Remove the poisonous matter from the blood with Burdock Blood Bitters, then, "No more headaches".

Let the Public Be the Judge

Of These Timely Questions and Answers Concerning

British Columbia's Lumber Manufacturing Industry

QUESTION NO. 1—Is the Lumber Industry booming?

ANSWER: For several years prior to the depression, the mills in British Columbia produced approximately 2¼ billion feet of lumber annually. In 1935 there was produced only about 1½ billion feet.

QUESTION NO. 2—What caused this drop in lumber production?

ANSWER: First, the application of a $4.00 tariff on Canadian lumber by the United States, which with its 130 million people is the greatest lumber consuming territory in the world. Second, the depression, which affected all industries, particularly struck the building and construction industry, which in economic stress is always the first to suffer.

QUESTION NO. 3—What was the effect of the United States tariff and the depression on British Columbia lumber mills?

ANSWER: Many shut down for two or more years; but at least 15 mills went into bankruptcy with a capital loss of from $10,000,000 to $15,000,000 and thousands of jobs.

QUESTION NO. 4—How did the Industry manage to survive these conditions?

ANSWER: First, through the loyal co-operation of its employees. Second, through sacrificing its reserves, both in equipment and standing timber.

QUESTION NO. 5—Has the Industry re-established itself at this time on a parity with pre-depression conditions?

ANSWER: It has not.

QUESTION NO. 6—Explain why it has not.

ANSWER: First, this question can be answered by previous statements, namely that production is down on the Coast to the extent of about 1 billion feet since 1929. Second, the marketing of British Columbia lumber has undergone a radical change. In 1929, approximately 80% of British Columbia lumber was consumed on the North American Continent. Today, however, approximately 70% of British Columbia's lumber is sold in foreign markets other than the North American Continent, requiring a steamship haul of an average of 8,000 to 9,000 miles, instead of a direct rail or water haul to North American customers as formerly. Third, we in British Columbia cannot dictate the sale price of our lumber in foreign markets, especially is this so in the United Kingdom, now our principal market. The price in world markets is set by competing European countries with entirely lower wage and living standards, a much shorter haul and a long established exchange of commodities. In spite of 70% of British Columbia lumber being exported, British Columbia supplies only about 5% of the softwood lumber imported by foreign countries. Fourth, one of the principal markets in the past for British Columbia lumber, has been the Canadian Prairies, but no explanation is necessary to impress upon all the lack of buying power, that has existed there for several years. Fifth, the United States, the greatest lumber consuming territory in the world, was our major foreign market prior to 1930. However, with the application of a $1.00 tariff in 1930, and an excise tax of $3.00 in 1932, the British Columbia lumber industry was faced with an insurmountable barrier. The consummation of the trade pact in 1935 between the two countries only partially restored this lost trade. The facts are, under the Treaty: Cedar Lumber pays a duty of $1.50 per thousand feet. Other woods, or approximately 10% of the annual production of lumber in British Columbia, can enter the United States on payment of a duty of $2.00 per thousand feet. British Columbia lumber in excess of approximately one tenth of production must pay a duty of $4.00 per thousand feet. Prior to 1930 there was no duty on any lumber from Canada entering the United States. Japan, formerly a heavy purchaser of British Columbia lumber, principally timbers, has offered very little business for some time. British Columbia lumber to China is sold today only under the most difficult and competitive circumstances.

QUESTION NO. 7—Are conditions in Washington and Oregon comparable to those in British Columbia?

ANSWER: They are not. 90% of the lumber produced in Oregon and Washington is sold within the United States of America or its possessions under high tariff protection. Only 30% of the lumber produced in British Columbia is sold in Canada, while 70% of British Columbia lumber is sold in foreign markets under severe competitive conditions.

QUESTION NO. 8—What is the present outlook for the British Columbia Lumber Industry?

ANSWER: British Columbia lumber is subject to world supply and demand and that demand is on the increase, but while the recovery is not so rapid as could be wished for, there are indications for a sustained general improvement.

The facts given above can be readily verified. They are presented herewith, in order that the public of British Columbia will understand why we, the undersigned, cannot operate under conditions which apparent subversive and outside interests desire to impose upon the Lumber Manufacturing Industry of British Columbia.

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What Today Means

"TAURUS"

If May 10 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this day are from 11:45 a.m. to 1:45 p.m., from 2:45 to 4:45 p.m., and from 8:45 to 10:45 p.m. The danger periods are from 9:45 to 11:45 a.m., from 6:45 to 8:45 p.m., and from 10:45 p.m. until midnight.

If you are blessed with a mother who has sacrificed herself for you, who has shared your troubles and joys, whose prayers and ambitions have been centred in you—then let the spirit of Mother's Day be manifested by both thought and deed this day. Selfishness and indolence are two traits that will bring into existence a great deal of the day's unhappiness, so see that neither dominates any of your actions. Friends may spring a pleasant surprise on you in a very unexpected manner. You are apt to be the recipient of something of value. Do not take for granted that your appreciation will be realized, but give concrete evidence of it, through vocal expression. Married and engaged couples, as well as those who are in love, must do nothing this day which might justify the accusation that they are self-absorbed.

If a woman and May 10 is your birthday, you ought to engage in some artistic, commercial or literary pursuit, for there are indications that if you enter upon a career, success will reward your efforts. If you fail to control your nerves, they will be your master. The one characteristic that can be a serious stumbling block on your road to prosperity is stubbornness. Avoid it. You are perhaps too easily carried away by enthusiasm, especially about anything that is radically new. You should always try to have flowers in any room in which you spend much time, as they have a soothing influence. You might find the most congenial means of earning a livelihood in work of an educational, literary or scientific nature, as well as some line of business activity in the mercantile world. Marriage probably will help you to realize your ambitions, and to find happiness.

The child born on May 10 usually, by the time it reaches its teens, fulfils its parents' expectations. It probably will have lots of surplus energy, and an exceptionally cheerful disposition.

If a man and May 10 is your natal day, you are apt to be a lover of music, art and the drama. You also may be a prolific writer. A vivid imagination will prevent your ever feeling lonely. As a publisher, writer, artist, musician, actor, preacher or salesman you may attain an eminent position.

MONDAY, MAY 11
"TAURUS"

If May 11 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 9 to 11 a.m., from 2 to 4 p.m., and from 6 to 8 p.m. The danger periods are from 7 to 9 a.m., from 4 to 6 p.m., and from 8 to 10 p.m.

There should be plenty of occasions for laughter this day, and only the unwise grouch will fail to take advantage of them. Expressed cheerfulness is bound to be rewarded, because a buoyancy of spirit ought to prevail in social and business circles under dominant existing conditions. This ought to be a good day for those endeavoring to interest the general public in anything that is new. Buyers' eyes will be alert, so the shrewd salesman should take advantage of this by displaying goods that will attract attention. In social activities your personal bearing is apt to count for a great deal. Married and engaged couples, as well as those who are in love, must be careful that cross words do not ruin dispositions.

If a woman and May 11 is your birthday, a great amount of vital power should be apparent to those who know you. Your animation perhaps shows you are filled with enthusiasm and energy. You may be inclined to be extravagant, particularly in the matter of clothing or household appointments. Do not permit social aspirations to cause you to spend money lavishly, for more worry than pleasure might result. You are perhaps too susceptible to flattery. Your true friends will not resort to it. It might be well for you to remember you cannot depend on family traditions to bring actual results. As a composer, musician, actress, teacher, author or business woman you may meet with great success. Your home life, especially with a husband, will probably be an ideal model of perfection.

The child born on May 11, usually when its reaches its teens, develops a remarkable amount of proficiency in some clearly defined line of endeavor. Its ideas may seem radical, but, if analyzed, are likely to prove thoroughly practical.

If a man and May 11 is your natal day, you might be very sensitive. If you are, this sensitiveness must be controlled. If you wish to be successful. Should you take an active interest in insurance, law, banking, writing, architecture, medicine or commercial life, your results are apt to fully compensate you for the hard work you have had to do. It might be wise for you to marry.

A darkey in Texas was tried for murder and found guilty by the jury. When it came time to pronounce sentence the judge said: "John Johnson, you have been found guilty of the crime of murder and the sentence of the court is that on the first day of August you be taken to a spot contiguous to the county jail and there hung by the neck until you are dead. Have you anything to say?"

"Well, no, your honor, I don't guess I's got anything to say, 'cept one thing, your honor. You don't mean this comin' August, do you?"

Bed Bugs!

These pests may get into any house. They don't stay long where there is a vigilant housekeeper. Not when it is so easy to get rid of them with BUHACH.

Simply sprinkle BUHACH on the bed and bed clothing, and dust it into cracks and crevices around the room. BUHACH brings a swift, sure end to any insect pest, but is guaranteed safe for human beings and animals. Best of all it is odorless. In Handy Sifter Cans 35c up at all Drug, Grocery, Seed Stores and Pet Shops. (ADV.)

Plays and Players

Chan Outwits Killer in Dominion Mystery Film

Movie patrons have seen Charlie Chan track and trap dangerous criminals in Paris, Egypt, Shanghai and San Francisco, but never before has he been faced with the task of solving so fascinating a crime as the one he unravels under the big top in the new Fox thriller "Charlie Chan at the Circus," which opened at the Dominion Theatre Friday.

With deadly cobras ready to strike with poisonous fangs, savage gorillas raging at his back and the shrewdest criminal brains plotting his destruction, Warner Oland, as the wily Charlie Chan, cleverly outwits his adversaries and solves the most baffling crime of his career.

Chan's presence at the circus is purely for entertainment, but the murder of the circus chief during the performance soon rouses him to action. Since the dead owner's relations with the performers were none too friendly, all of the troupe becomes open to suspicion, including the giant gorilla, missing from his cage at the time of the crime.

With only a few clues to work on, Chan slowly weaves a web of evidence around the suspected party. However, before the solution of the crime is reached, others fall victim, and Chan himself narrowly escapes death.

COLUMBIA
MONDAY—TUESDAY—WEDNESDAY
SHE'S GRANDER THAN EVER

CARL LAEMMLE PRESENTS YOUR OWN BELOVED
May ROBSON in
3 KIDS AND A QUEEN
with
CHARLOTTE HENRY
BILLY BURRUD
FRANKIE DARRO
HENRY ARMETTA
WILLIAM BENEDICT
—ADDED FEATURE—
Wallace Ford
— In —
"Money Means Nothing"
Matinees 10c Evenings 15c

PLAZA PRESENTS REALISTIC FILM

"Barbary Coast" With Three Stars In Cast Playing—Miriam Hopkins in Lead

The "Barbary Coast," America's last frontier of untamed emotions, lives again in all its stark, rowdy realism in Samuel Goldwyn's production of that title, which begins a three-day engagement at the Plaza Theatre tomorrow, with Miriam Hopkins, Edward G. Robinson and Joel McCrea in its leading roles.

Her first picture under her new contract to Goldwyn, "Barbary Coast" offers Miriam Hopkins her greatest role as Swan, a beautiful girl who invades this gold-mad city of love-hungry men and becomes hard and cold as the diamonds with which she is decked by Chamalis, the powerful, ruthless owner of the notorious Bella Donna cafe, over whose crooked roulette table she reigns.

Into this struggling mass of humanity wanders Jim Carmichael, a fine, clean-cut young chap, who has made his stake. He and Swan fall in love, but the man meets a bitter disillusionment when he discovers her connection with the Bella Donna.

Death and destruction stalk the scene and Chamalis' jealous rage nearly turns the romance into tragedy before the lovers are free to face the future together.

Robinson is seen as the brutal Chamalis and Joel McCrea, who has also just signed a long-term contract with Goldwyn, plays Jim.

TO END SEASON WITH SUCCESSFUL NEW PLAY

When the curtain goes up on the Victoria Little Theatre Association's production, "The Wind and the Rain," at Memorial Hall on May 14, Victoria playgoers will see one of the most successful portrayals of modern youth ever presented on the English-speaking stage.

The entire action of the play takes place in the students' study at Mrs. McFie's boarding house in a Scottish university city. Mrs. McFie likes them "medical," and the boarders are, as a result, all engaged in the struggle to obtain their medical degrees.

The story chiefly concerns the fortunes of Charles Trent and covers the entire period of his training from the evening when he first arrives to begin life at Mrs. McFie's until the great moment when he is at last entitled to place the magic prefix "Dr" before his name.

MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY
PLAZA THEATRE
PRICES 12-2 - - - 10c 2-5 - - - 15c 5 On - - - 20c

"BARBARY COAST"
Desperate! Daring! She gambled for love . . .
AMERICA'S LAST FRONTIER OF UNTAMED EMOTIONS!
WITH
MIRIAM HOPKINS EDWARD G. ROBINSON
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She Tossed Away Her Crown to Win Romance!
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"THE LADY IN BLACK"
SINGING STAR OF RADIO AND SCREEN

THE BEAUX-ARTS PRESENTS
'At Mrs. Beams'
A Three-Act Comedy, under the direction of Major Bullock-Webster
Shrine Auditorium Monday, May 18, 1936
At 8.30 P.M.
Tickets at Fletcher Bros. Admission 50c, Reserved, 75c

In Bright Capitol Film

Jean Parker and Robert Donat in a Scene From "The Ghost Goes West," the Feature Attraction Now at the Capitol Theatre.

Lively Ghost Comedy Is Current Capitol Feature

Few actors have enjoyed such a rapid rise to fame as Robert Donat. After appearing in only seven films, the young Manchester actor is now numbered among the foremost stars on the screen.

The reason for his meteoric success is apparent in his latest picture, "The Ghost Goes West," which can be seen this week at the Capitol Theatre.

Playing a dual role, Donat is first introduced as Murdoch Glourie, the pleasure-loving son of Old Glourie, chief of the Clan Glourie. Old Glourie dies and Murdoch follows him, when, attacked by six of the rival Clan MacLaggan, he takes refuge behind a gunpowder keg just as it explodes. But there is no rest for Murdoch, for his father, annoyed at the MacLaggans' victory, commands that Murdoch shall walk the earth as a ghost until he avenges himself upon a MacLaggan.

Two hundred years later Donald Glourie, direct descendant of Murdoch, is besieged by creditors. His only assets are Glourie Castle and its ghost. Peggy Martin, daughter of a wealthy American, persuades her father to buy the castle and transport it to America. Donald has said nothing about the ghost, but on board ship his ancestor appears in the ballroom to the consternation of the passengers.

Appearing in Play Here on May 18

MISS ANNE BRETON

WHO won the Dominion Drama Festival best actress award, will play the leading role in the Beaux-Arts production of "At Mrs. Beams" in the Shrine Auditorium on Monday, May 18. Proceeds will be given to the Sunshine Camp.

PLAYERS OPEN AT EMPIRE THEATRE

Lee Jaxon & Company to Present "Eliminating Jane"—Comedy On Screen

Thee Lee Jaxon Players will open tomorrow at the Empire Theatre with the rollicking musical comedy, "Eliminating Jane." These delightful players will present two distinctly different plays each week, while the same policy will hold for the screen.

The opening picture will present Will Hay in "Boys Will Be Boys," wherein this masterful comedian gives the Brain Trust some brainstorms. Will Hay plays the part of the funniest school teacher who ever dodged a "spitball." When he is appointed principal of Narkover School for Boys, he thinks it's a stepping stone to better things, but it turns out to be a stumbling block, for boys will be boys, and most of them are rascals.

CATHERINE CRAIG IN RECITAL HERE MAY 22

Catherine Craig, versatile artist, has been persuaded to give music-lovers the opportunity of hearing her in a recital to be presented in the Shrine auditorium on Friday, May 22.

Since the age of eight years, Miss Craig has had a unique record of successes climaxed when she won the coveted Rose Bowl and three first places in open singing classes at the recent Victoria Festival.

She is a gold medal elocutionist, and it is in this art she has won the hearts of Victoria in her numerous platform appearances. Her piano accomplishments are of a high order. In the various examinations by the Associated Board of Royal Schools (London) she passed with distinction or honorable mention, and two years ago, at the age of seventeen, she passed the practical examination as a "solo piano performer."

AMUSEMENTS

On the Stage

Empire — Lee Jaxon Players present "Eliminating Jane."

On the Screen

Capitol — "The Ghost Goes West," starring Robert Donat.

Columbia — May Robson in "Three Kids and Queen."

Dominion—"Charlie Chan at the Circus," starring Warner Oland.

Plaza — Edward G. Robinson in "Barbary Coast."

BATHING BEAUTIES TO PARADE IN "KARNIVAL"

One of the major attractions of the forthcoming "Kinsmen Kommunity Karnival," to be held at the Crystal Garden on the evening of May 25, will be the bathing beauty contest. Entries for this event are now being called and entry forms are available.

Winners of the contest will be awarded cash prizes, in addition to which local merchants have co-operated by donating merchandise.

Dancing to a large orchestra will be a feature of the evening, while aquatic events and the latest type of midway attractions will hold the interest of the patrons.

COMEDY DRAMA IS NOW AT COLUMBIA

May Robson Plays Leading Role In "Three Kids and a Queen"—Strong Cast

"Three Kids and a Queen," the Universal comedy-drama, which comes to the Columbia Theatre tomorrow, stars the lovable May Robson as the eccentric, crabbed "richest woman in the world."

Never before has "the grand old lady of the screen" been seen in a role so delightful as this, nor one which has afforded such an opportunity for kindly humor alternated with the imperious airs of an old person who, throughout a lifetime, has been able to command everything—except, perhaps, the love of those about her. And eventually she finds this in a place such as she never would expect to encounter it.

Miss Robson's large supporting cast includes many popular players such as Frankie Darro, Charlotte Henry, William Benedict, Billy Burrud, Henry Armetta, John Miljan, Laurence Grant, Hedda Hopper, Henry Kolker, Edward Van Sloan and George Irving, and the picture was directed by Edward Ludwig.

DANCING RECITAL WILL BE GIVEN HERE MAY 29

Lovers of classical dancing will again have the pleasure of witnessing a most interesting display, when the pupils of Miss Dorothy Cox, of the Western School of Dancing, appear at the Shrine Auditorium on Friday, May 29.

The numbers comprising the programme are of a varied nature and as on previous occasions in the form of "playlets," which greatly enhance the interest in the display.

The stage setting of the various "playlets" and the zest with which the pupils enter into the spirit of and enjoy their dances in this environment will appeal greatly to all lovers of drama and the terpsichorean art in Victoria.

Some of the numbers depicted are "The Pixies' Wedding," "A Venetian Scene," "A Summer's Day" and "The Sun Ballet." The music chosen is, as usual, very tuneful and catchy, and includes Chopin, Chaminade, Strauss, Grieg and others.

AUTO CLUB OFFICERS VIEW PICTURE HERE

A film in the series "Crime Doesn't Pay," which is now being shown at the Capitol Theatre here, was witnessed by officers of the Automobile Club yesterday, including T. H. Goodlake, the secretary of that body. The film is called "Hit and Run Driver," and is intended to act as an educational avenue for bringing home the seriousness of careless driving of automobiles.

It is set out that the film is produced for the purpose of cutting down the serious loss of life and property which ensues from careless driving on this continent.

DELIBES' "COPPELIA" TO BE OFFERED MAY 22

For the first time in Victoria, an entire ballet-opera will be presented by local dancers, when the Victoria Civic Opera Association presents Leo Delibes' delightful "Coppelia," with Dorothy Wilson as ballet-mistress, at the Royal Victoria Theatre on May 22 and 23.

Principals and corps de ballet will be the senior students from the Russian School of the Dance. The annual "Spring Revue" of this school has long been one of the most eagerly anticipated events of the year. In order to devote her entire time to making "Coppelia" an outstanding success, Mrs. Wilson has postponed her revue until the Autumn.

The costumes for the production are being designed and created by Vivien Combe, and should add much to the artistry of the production.

Dainty and tuneful, full of color, the music for "Coppelia" is among the most beautiful in the world. The lovely "Dance of the Hours," the "Valse Poupe," the "Danse Fete" all occur in this favorite of all ballets.

FLYER TO SEEK SECOND RECORD

Amy Mollison Will Endeavor To Clip Hours Off Return Flight to London

CAPETOWN, May 9 (CP-Havas)—Amy Johnson Mollison, British flyer, said today she had cabled her husband, Capt. J. A. Mollison, in London, that she planned to take off tomorrow in an effort to set a new record from Capetown to London.

Amy Mollison this week clipped some eleven hours off the London-Capetown record, set last February by Flight-Lieut. Tommy Rose, and she will attempt likewise, to lower Rose's record for the return flight.

RALLY GATHERING HELD AT Y.W.C.A.

Last Inter-Schools Christian Fellowship Meeting, Discusses Annual Picnic Event

The last Inter-Schools Christian Fellowship rally of the term was held at the Y.W.C.A. with a capacity audience in attendance. William Sawyer, the local president, was in the chair. Mr. Hadland opened the meeting with prayer, after which Major Watts, who travels in the interests of the Institute for the Blind, and who himself is blind, played a selection on the piano. Choruses were enthusiastically sung by the audience. Members of the Mount View High School rendered a group recitation.

The major part of the evening was devoted to a Bible contest arranged on similar lines to that of a spelling bee, only questions were asked on the incidents contained in the Book of Jonah. The chosen teams for the evening were from Oak Bay and Mount Douglas High Schools. The teams were evenly matched and a real battle ensued, with Mount Douglas High School eventually emerging as victors. S. Okamoto was the interpreter and R. M. Hall acted as judge. R. Savage gave an informative talk, supplementing the ground already covered by the contest.

Another pianoforte solo by Major Watts was greatly enjoyed. The programme was brought to a close with prayer by C. Weller, who was a former I.S.C.F. member before he went to Three Hills Bible School, Alberta. Refreshments were served by the Mount View group. The annual picnic will be held at the end of May, details of which may be obtained from any of the group directors.

Oregon Indians Hold Salmon Festival

Fishing for salmon by the Celilo Indians, of Oregon, is "taboo" until the first Chinook has been speared by the royal hands of a tribal chieftain and the fish properly honored at a feast, where it is consumed from finny tail to glassy eye. Chief Wolf has just speared the first fish of the Spring run at Celilo Falls, on the Columbia River. Chief Yallup, wearing ceremonial gloves so that the fish will not be touched by human hands, is about to remove the salmon and give it to Young Eagle (right), who will carry it on a piece of bark to the "long house" for appropriate ceremonies. It is a tribal law that the eldest son of a chief shall carry the first fish to the feast.

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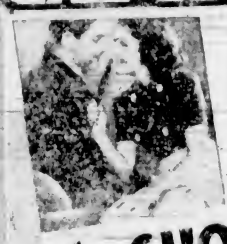
Your pulse will palpitate at his love making, as he trails a pretty girl across the ocean . . . and then obliviously disappears when she meets another who looks just like him!

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MEMORIAL HALL, MAY 14, 8.15
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In
RECITAL
(Song — Piano — Elocution)
FRIDAY, MAY 22, AT 8.15 P.M.
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Admission 35c (Reserved, 50c)
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EMPRESS CRYSTAL BALLROOM
Tickets, 35c. Students, 25c at Door

THREE LITTLE PIGS MEET NO WOLF ON THE WAY TO NELSON

NELSON, May 9 (C.P.)—The three little pigs hitch-hiked into Nelson after escaping from a farmer who was bringing them to the city. Each took a separate route and were picked up one by one by motorists. Reunited, they grunted that the "big bad wolf" must be dead—they hadn't seen him.

Tommy—Pop, what's a kangaroo?
Papa—Just an attempt of nature to produce a safe pedestrian.

Club's Annual Outing to Occupy Four June Days

President Burbidge welcomed the Saanich Jersey Cattle Club to Babbacombe and took the chair at its May meeting, when the members discussed the preliminary plans for the annual Summer outing of the British Columbia Jersey Breeders' Association, which will be held on the Island early in June, occupying four days—June 2, 3, 4 and 5—during which visits will be made about Saanich, the Islands and Duncan, combining business and pleasure in pleasant proportions. Ian Douglas, A. D. Macdonald and A. W. Aylard, with the president, form the committee in charge, and will announce details later on.

The chairman disclosed that the winner of the Wattie Challenge Cup for 1935 is Graham Craig, Cowichan Station, with Fairfield Prima, No. 45315, seven years old, milked three times a day for 305 days, with 13,670 pounds milk and 664 pounds fat, giving a surplus of fat over official record of production requirements of 304 pounds.

The runner-up in this competition were Babbacombe Standard's Mademoiselle, 10,602 milk and 631 fat in 365 days, with a surplus fat production of 292 pounds, and Elderlie Hash Garda, 10,807 milk and 360 fat in 305 days, with a surplus production of 265 pounds of fat.

The speaker for the evening, Dr. W. Newton, gave a rather advanced talk on nutrition and health, and expressed his hope that the time was coming when farmers would be very well educated, intelligent men, able to appreciate and apply the discoveries of modern science to production of foods of higher value. To illustrate his point, he quoted the following nutrition experiment carried out by Dr. H. E. Armstrong in England:

A number of children were divided into two groups, one of which was given milk from cows fed on ordinary rations, and the other milk from cows fed with the new hot-air-dried-grass, a food of very high value for cattle. The results were greater improvement in children receiving milk from the dried-grass-fed cattle. Furthermore, those cattle come through the Winter in better shape.

On account of the Summer outing mentioned, there will be no June meeting of Saanich club.

R.O.P. LIST

The following is a list of members' cows which have qualified for inclusion in the fifty-pound list of April. Figures in parenthesis denote days since freshening.

Duntulm Volunteer May, yearling (60), 582 lbs. milk, 30 lbs. fat; owner, A. D. Macdonald.

Babbacombe Standard's Susan, yearling (61), 792 lbs. milk, 36 lbs. fat; owner, H. E. Burbidge.

Golden Standard's Sarah, yearling (138), 690 lbs. milk, 35 lbs. fat; owner, H. E. Burbidge.

Woodcote Betty, two-year-old (62), 945 lbs. milk, 54 lbs. fat; owner, H. E. Burbidge.

Brackenhurst Oxford Jennie, two-year-old (85), 975 lbs. milk, 52 lbs. fat; owner, A. W. Aylard.

Babbacombe Blonde's Bridget, two-year-old (90), 1,015 lbs. milk, 52 lbs. fat; owner, Ian Douglas.

Golden Standard's Toddy, two-year-old (142), 797 lbs. milk, 41 lbs. fat; owner, A. W. Aylard.

Brackenhurst Oxford Ethel, two-year-old (108), 764 lbs. milk, 41 lbs. fat; owner, A. W. Aylard.

Brackenhurst Oxford Nellie, two-year-old (311), 872 lbs. milk, 40 lbs. fat; owner, A. W. Aylard.

Golden Standard's Gladys, three-year-old (82), 1,000 lbs. milk, 59 lbs. fat; owner, A. W. Aylard.

Duntulm Remembrance You'll Do, three-year-old (89), 994 lbs. milk, 56 lbs. fat; owner, A. W. Aylard.

Duntulm You'll Do Flapper, three-year-old (105), 990 lbs. milk, 52 lbs. fat; owner, A. D. Macdonald.

Golden Standard's Colleen, three-year-old (229), 1,002 lbs. milk, 52 lbs. fat; owner, A. W. Aylard.

Golden Standard's Marie, three-year-old (218), 824 lbs. milk, 51 lbs. fat; owner, A. W. Aylard.

Golden Standard's Violet, three-year-old (118), 1,017 lbs. milk, 50 lbs. fat; owner, A. W. Aylard.

Golden Standard's Mattie, four-year-old (68), 1,156 lbs. milk, 58 lbs. fat; owner, A. W. Aylard.

Babbacombe Lily's Abbie, four-year-old (73), 1,031 lbs. milk, 57 lbs. fat; owner, H. E. Burbidge.

Babbacombe Standard's Sally, four-year-old (55), 1,263 lbs. milk, 57 lbs. fat; owner, H. E. Burbidge.

Duntulm You'll Do Jersey, four-year-old (41), 1,008 lbs. milk, 54 lbs. fat; owner, A. D. Macdonald.

Dave's Marquita, four-year-old (157), 1,032 lbs. milk, 51 lbs. fat; owner, A. W. Aylard.

Golden Standard's Tiny, four-year-old (178), 691 lbs. milk, 50 lbs. fat; owner, A. W. Aylard.

Duntulm You'll Do Spot, four-year-old (141), 951 lbs. milk, 50 lbs. fat; owner, A. D. Macdonald.

Sally of S.H.F., four-year-old (75), 1,062 lbs. milk, 50 lbs. fat; owner, Easton & Burkinshaw.

El Serino's Lassie, five-year-old (28), 1,168 lbs. milk, 60 lbs. fat; owner, Ian Douglas.

Colehill Bessie, five-year-old (147), 1,128 lbs. milk, 51 lbs. fat; owner, Easton & Burkinshaw.

Woodcote Bindle's Roxana, six-year-old (128), 950 lbs. milk, 57 lbs. fat; owner, Easton & Burkinshaw.

Babbacombe Bindle's Beatrice, six-year-old (80), 1,137 lbs. milk, 55 lbs. fat; owner, H. E. Burbidge.

Oxford Betty, seven-year-old (145), 1,124 lbs. milk, 52 lbs. fat; owner, A. W. Aylard.

Of these cows, Golden Standard II sired ten, Glamorgan Rex 4, Mademoiselle a Oxford three, Glamorgan Dave's Choice three, and Glamorgan Wexford Bindle two.

Retail Markets

Fruits	
Bananas ..... lb. .10; dozen	.35 to .40
Grapefruit—	
California, dozen	.25, .45, .50 and .60
Lemons—	
California, dozen	.20, .25, .30 and .40
Oranges—	
Navels, dozen	.15 to .60
Pears, dozen	.30 to .45
Apples—	
Cooking	5 to 7 lbs for .25
Table	3 and 4 lbs for .25
Rhubarb, per lb.	.03
Strawberries, per box	.20
Calavos, small, each	.15, .20 and .25
Vegetables	
Artichokes, each	.10 and .15
Asparagus, per lb	.20 and .15
Cauliflower, each	.10, .15 and .20
Celery	.10, .15 and .20
Hothouse Cucumbers, each	.10 to .20
Lettuce, head	.05, .06 to .08
California Cabbage ..... per lb.	.06
Parsley, bunch	.07
Peas, lb.	.10
Spinach, lb.	.05
Tomatoes—	
Local Hothouse, lb.	.25
Beets, per bunch	.10
California bunch carrots	.05
Onions, lb.	03¾ and .04
Turnips, lb.	.03 and .05
Green Onions, per bunch	.05
Rutabagas, per lb.	.05
Potatoes—	
Yams	3 lbs. for .25
Kamloops	11 lbs. for .25
Ashcroft	10 lbs. for .25
New	lb .07
Cheese	
English Stilton, lb.	.35
Imported Roquefort, lb	.75
Finest Ontario, mild, lb.	.30
Old Ontario, lb.	.30
Medium Ontario, lb.	.25
Gorgonzola, lb.	.60
Swiss Gruyere, in portions, box	.40
Circle Brand Breakfast Cheese	.40
Kraft, lb	.32
Canadian Stilton, lb.	.30
Fish	
Smoked Red Salmon	.35
Soles, 2 lbs.	.30
Red Salmon lb	.30
Local Cured Black Cod	.25
Large Eastern Kippers, lb.	.20
Local Kippers, 2 lbs.	.25
Fresh Cod	.15
Ladysmith Oysters, half pint	.25
Salt Cod	.25
Digby Chix, box	.30
Haddies, lb	.30 to .35
Boneless Herring	.30
Smoked Cod	.30 and .25
Haddie Fillets	.25
Fresh Smelts	.25
Local Blosters, 2 lbs.	.25
Sooke Shrimps, per lb	.35
Wholesale Poultry	
Chicken, per lb	.29
Heavy Fowl, per lb.	.21
Light Fowl, per lb.	.18
Turkey—	
Grade A, per lb.	.31
Grade B, per lb.	.28
Grade C, per lb	.27
Geese, per lb	.22
Dairy Produce and Eggs	
Eggs Retail—	
Grade "A" large, doz	.29
Grade "A" medium, doz	.23
Grade "A" pullet, doz	.24
Eggs Wholesale—	
Grade "A" large, doz	.24
Grade "A" medium, doz.	.23
Grade "A" pullet, doz	.21
Eggs to Producer at Farm—	
Grade "A" large, doz	.19
Grade "A" medium, doz	.16
Grade "A" pullet, doz.	.17
Butter	
Brookfield, lb.	.30
Shamrock, lb	.30
Cowichan Creamery, lb	.34
Handypats, lb	.32
Saltspring Island, lb.	.33
Our Own Brand, lb	.30
Comox, lb	.34
Fraser Valley, lb	.30
Beef	
Prime Rib Beef	.22 to .25
Loin Roast	.30 to .35
Pot Roast	.13, .15 and .18
T-Bone Roast	.20 to .25
Round Steak	.23 to .25
Rump Roast	.23 to .25
Boiling Beef	.10
Hamburg Steak	.12½ and .15
Stew Beef (boneless)	.15
Lamb	
Shoulder	.18
Pork	
Leg	.28
Loins	.30
Shoulder	.18 to .18

Vancouver Wheat

VANCOUVER, May 8 (CP).—Vancouver wheat cash prices:

	Straight	Tough
No. 1 Hard	76⅝	74⅝
No. 1 Northern	76⅝	74⅝
No. 2 Northern	74⅝	72⅝
No. 3 Northern	71⅝	68⅝
No. 4 Northern	66⅝	65⅝
No. 5 Wheat	61⅝	58⅝
No. 6 Wheat	50⅝	47⅝
Feed	42⅝	39⅝

Track, 88⅝.

Foreign Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Australia 5½%, 1957	105.625	106.125
Belgium 6%, 1955	104.75	105.25
Bogota 8%, 1945	15.25	15.75
Denmark 5, 1955	100.75	101.25
French 7½%, 1941	164.75	165.25
German Govt. 7%, 1949	32.75	33.25
Italy 7%, 1951	75.25	75.75
Japan 4½%, 1954	96.00	96.25
Minas Geraes 6½%, 1958	16.75	17.25
Norway 6%, 1944	106.50	107.00
Queensland 6%, 1947	109.25	109.75
Rome 6%, 1952	84.75	85.75

Above prices in New York.

MOONRISE AND MOONSET

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of May, 1936:

Date	Rises	Sets
1	2 54 p.m.	2 36 a.m.
2	3 58 p.m.	2 56 a.m.
3	5 01 p.m.	3 15 a.m.
4	6 05 p.m.	3 35 a.m.
5	7 10 p.m.	3 58 a.m.
6	8 15 p.m.	4 26 a.m.
(Full Moon on 6th)		
7	9 18 p.m.	5 00 a.m.
8	10 12 p.m.	5 42 a.m.
9	11 02 p.m.	6 32 a.m.
10	11 44 p.m.	7 31 a.m.
11	...	8 36 a.m.
12	0 17 a.m.	9 38 a.m.
13	0 46 a.m.	11 04 a.m.
14	1 12 a.m.	12 18 p.m.
(Last Quarter on 14th)		
15	1 35 a.m.	1 27 p.m.
16	1 58 a.m.	2 58 p.m.
17	2 22 a.m.	4 18 p.m.
18	2 49 a.m.	5 40 p.m.
19	3 22 a.m.	7 01 p.m.
20	4 02 a.m.	8 18 p.m.
(New Moon on 20th)		
21	4 53 a.m.	9 25 p.m.
22	5 52 a.m.	10 19 p.m.
23	7 00 a.m.	11 02 p.m.
24	8 11 a.m.	11 35 p.m.
25	9 22 a.m.	0 01 a.m.
26	10 31 a.m.	...
27	11 38 a.m.	0 23 a.m.
28	12 42 p.m.	0 43 a.m.
(First Quarter on 28th)		
29	1 47 p.m.	1 01 a.m.
30	2 51 p.m.	1 20 a.m.
31	3 54 p.m.	1 39 a.m.

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

Two modern little girls on their way home from Sunday School were solemnly discussing the lesson. "Do you believe there is a devil?" asked one.

"No," replied the other, promptly. "It's like Santa Claus; it's your father."

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

By Alley

HIT SHO DO MEK ME MAD W'EN FOLKS BORRIES BACK DEY GYARDEN TOOLS WID-OUT AXIN' ME FUS'!!!

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DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS
A TREATMENT FOR BACKACHE HEADACHE RHEUMATISM BLADDER TROUBLES
INSIST ON THE PROTECTIVE

DAMAGE WAS NOT SERIOUS

Steamer West Cape Heading for Drydock Under Her Own Power

PORTLAND, Ore., May 9 (AP).—The McCormick steamer West Cape, beached after a hole was torn in her bottom yesterday and refloated, headed for drydock here today under her own power. She was expected to reach the harbor late in the afternoon.

The craft was grounded on the Oregon side of the Columbia River channel at Elliott Point, about nine miles inland from Astoria.

Information reaching here said she hit a submerged rock in the fog while coming into the river. Company officials said the damage was not as serious as first believed, although it was not estimated.

"I'm glad to see you're giving my book a place of honor on your bookstall," said the proud author.

"Yes, Sir: I put it on top of those papers to stop 'em blowing off the stall."

Signallers Prepare for Great Tattoo

Rehearsing for Their Display to Be Given During the Summer at Aldershot, Men of the London Divisional Signals Give a Daring Exhibition on Their Motorcycles. While the Nerve of the Leaping Cyclist Wins Much Admiration, Our Sympathies Are With the Dispatcher Lying Down Between the Motionless Riders.

PRIVATE BID MUCH LOWER

Millions More in Estimates Of Navy Yards for Passenger Ship

WASHINGTON, May 9.—Navy yard estimates for the construction of a new passenger ship for the United States Lines, announced last Friday by Secretary of Commerce Roper, disclosed that the Government bids submitted last month were higher than those submitted by a commercial shipbuilder.

The Brooklyn Navy Yard estimated that it could build in thirty-six months at a cost of $18,250,546, while the Norfolk Navy Yard submitted a figure of $17,170,000 and estimated the work could be completed in thirty-four months.

The proposed ship is to be constructed under the terms of the Leviathan lay-up contract of March 18, 1935, and is designed to be a running mate for the Manhattan and Washington in the North Atlantic passenger trade.

Commercial estimates for building the ship, announced on April 2 by the Department of Commerce, were $13,346,000 with an alternative estimate of $14,010,000. The period of construction was not announced in connection with the commercial estimates, which were submitted by the Newport News Shipbuilding & Drydock Company, Newport News, Virginia, Va.

RAINBOW SEA CADETS

Orders by Lieut.-Commander P. W. Tribe.

Parades for week ending May 16. The corps will parade at the Drill Hall on Tuesday, May 12. On Friday, May 15, the corps has been invited to attend the Y.M.C.A. circus. Members will be admitted free, provided they wear uniforms.

Leave: The following have been granted six weeks' sick leave, effective May 9: June 20: Cadets J. McColl, G. Bishop and S. Peden.

Duties for the week: Duty division, Blue Division; duty bugler, Cadet McAlpine.

H. CLARKE, W.O.,
Sea Cadet Corps.

The young couple were having a little quarrel, and she was accusing him of being a boaster.

"You said you were a public speaker!" said she. "Why, you couldn't speak to save your life!"

"My dear girl," said he, "I have made lengthy addresses which have been taken down by reporters!"

"Pooh!" sneered she. "The only person to take down your address would be a policeman!"

WHO WAS THE MAN IN THE IRON MASK

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Who was the man in the iron mask? We must confess ourselves baffled. Historians have given us various theories relative to ancestry . . . Eye witnesses have given us accounts of his stature, habits, mode of apparel, deportment and one hundred and one other details, but—one feature is really significant . . . NO ONE KNOWS WHO HE WAS.

Reach the heart of the Market TO-DAY With Daily NEWSPAPERS

IF the analogy doesn't seem too far-fetched, may we liken him to the manufacturer who, making a good product, decides it to be so superlative that it will eventually sell itself! He, like our friend in the mask, is doomed to bitter oblivion—characteristic of men who, through short-sightedness, fail to grasp the one essential fact that business opponents are merciless. They ask no quarter and give none. When you are faced with competition of this kind, take the initiative, market your product FIRST and do it over-night . . . in the DAILY NEWSPAPER.

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Toc H Spirit Has Done Wonders for Young Delinquents

British Borstal System for Adolescent Offenders Successfully Motivated by Principles of War-Time Rendezvous—Three-Fourths of Institutional Inmates Make Good

By REV. DR. J. K. UNSWORTH

THE Toc H spirit has done wonders with young delinquents. The Toc H spirit, born during the Great War behind the Ypres Salient, is service, comradeship, hope, motivated by religion. Applied to the youthful law-breakers of the Old Land through the Borstal System, it has worked a modern miracle. Out of 10,000 young men and a few young women, all under twenty-one years of age, nearly 7,500, or three out of every four, have been brought back to the path of good citizenship.

The story of Toc H is better known than that of Borstal. Toc H is the signaler's code for Talbot House, and Talbot House in the war was an "Everyman's Club," opened in December, 1915, at Poperinghe, the nearest habitable town behind Ypres. Its founders were Padres Neville Talbot, H. B. Bates and Philip Clayton (Tubby). Open to all comers, officers and men alike, it became a rendezvous for the soldiers of the Imperial forces. At the top of the house, an old hoploft, was a chapel that was the most famous shrine of the British Armies in Flanders. For four years the Ypres Salient was held at an average cost of over 250 casualties a day. Among those who so held it, more than 100,000 officers and men worshipped in this transfigured hop-loft and some 20,000 received Holy Communion.

Toc H was started again in London in 1919-20, by "Tubby" and some survivors of the Ypres Salient. Its object was to recapture the War's spirit of comradeship in common service and to pass it on to the younger generation. It deals with the welfare of younger men of every class and denomination, training the members in voluntary service to the community needs, and in fair-mindedness. Its anagram motto is: To Conquer Hate. King Edward VIII, as Prince of Wales, lighted the Lamp of Remembrance of every Toc H. Branch throughout the world. This lamp bears upon its handle the Double Cross from the arms of the City of Ypres and round its top the inscription (in Latin): "In Thy Light shall we see light." It is lit at every meeting for a short ceremony of remembrance and self-dedication.

TOC H AND BORSTAL

Such is Toc H. And what is the Borstal System that is motivated by the Toc H spirit? To the answer we go to a village in Kent, England, where an old convict prison was taken over for an experiment in the treatment of youthful offenders against the law. This was in 1908, just after Great Britain had passed her Probation of Offenders Act in 1907 and her Prevention of Crime Act and her Children Act of 1908. At the head of this experiment for training young offenders was Sir Evelyn John Ruggles-Brise. So notable was its success that there are today seven institutions, which have the record, as stated earlier in this sketch, of sending back to good living three out of every four of their inmates.

On the gateway of the converted convict prison at Borstal is an inscription in honor of the founder of the Borstal System, which phrases well its motive and its spirit: "Be determined to save the young and careless from a wasted life of crime. Through his vision and persistence, a system of repression has been gradually replaced by one of leadership and training. We shall remember him as one who believed in his fellow men."

Borstal, the reader will have observed, was begun a decade or more before Toc H, but the spirit of both were the same. They stand for comradeship, service and hope, all in a religious atmosphere. The connection between the two is still closer. It is found in the fact that one of the founders of Toc H, as developed in London in 1919-20, has been for years head of the Borstal System. Meet Alexander Paterson, M.C., one of the vice-presidents of Toc H. Now meet Alexander Paterson, M.C., one of the three Prison Commissioners of the British Government and also head of the whole Borstal System.

ALEXANDER PATERSON, M.C.

Here is a thumb-nail sketch of Paterson as given to the writer by Rev. John D. Hobden, the British Columbia John Howard secretary, during his recent visit. A clerk in Bermondsey, London, who gave himself to boys in his spare time, more particularly in the boys' clubs of the University Settlement in that part of the metropolis. He was natively and instinctively a boys' man and had marvelous influence with them. And also—and this is to be remembered—with the university fellows who came down for shorter or longer periods to help.

Came the War. Paterson went from Bermondsey as a private and some of the university men as officers. The War over, the Home Office, in search for a man to head up the expansion of the Borstal System, which had stalled somewhat during the interval, laid hands on Paterson and put him in charge. Here we see Toc H and Borstal as two in one.

One can easily surmise what would be likely to happen. Paterson, knowing well that the success of the new idea was in the right personnel, drew largely upon his former co-workers among boys, and men of their ilk, to staff the enlarged operations. So it came about that some of his former military superiors were enlisted under him (although it must be mentioned that Paterson won his commission on the field and his Military Cross). More than that, in many of the Borstal schools Toc H men help the boys in the evening classes. Indeed, the Toc H men make a specialty of serving lawbreakers.

The time has now come to be introduced to the Borstal System. Turn back to the inscription on the doorway of the old building in the Kentish village: "To save the young and careless from a wasted life of crime." Such is the objective. "He will be remembered as one who believes in his fellow men." Such is the inspiration.

SIXTEEN TO TWENTY-ONE

It is for the youth between sixteen and twenty-one years of age. Most of these have been under the care of the Probation Office, which looks after first offenders and have not been found amenable to its regulations. They are, in fact, probation failures. A few are first offenders whose offences have been so heinous that the public sense of decency would be outraged by probation leniency.

These youths are given training in an institution that is not a prison, but a school. Each of the seven institutions is a compulsory place for education, where the endeavor is made to discover the possibilities of the youth and to develop them in as free a corporate life as is possible.

The Borstal training is based on a double assumption. First, that there is individual good in each and every boy, and second, that among the great majority there is an innate corporate spirit, which, will respond to the appeal made to the British spirit to play the game, to stand by the old ship. In the moral training of the institution the individual virtue is discovered and developed and an esprit de corps is evolved. The tools for this character culture are the personal influence of the members of the staff, all of whom are keen optimists, with a care for others. The second tool is forged only by time, the public opinion of the boys themselves. This is perhaps the more potent influence of the two, but its use is far more difficult. Only a man with a rare gift of sympathy and leadership can raise the public opinion of the group to the point where it shall lift up every member of the group.

NOT A BOYS' PRISON

"Borstal," then, is not a boys' prison, according to Alexander Paterson himself. "To collect all prisoners under twenty-one and confine them in a corner of a large jail and call the result a Borstal Institution is a sham and a pretence, a piece of administrative complacency defrauding a credulous public.

"A Borstal Institution is a training school for adolescent offenders based on educational principles pursuing educational methods. To be sure there is a punishment for the training involves a very considerable loss of liberty, but to stay there is to have a chance to learn the right way of life and to develop the good there is in each."

Classified at Wormwood Scrubbs (what a name!) after the usual sort of observation and study extending over a period of two months in which the best possible assistance, voluntary and professional, is utilized, the offender is sent to one of the following seven institutions:

1. Lowdham Grange. The best of the young offenders are sent to it with a view to their being released on licence at an early date, if they work hard and behave well.

2. Feltham. Lads who are physically and mentally inferior and also those who are not of a very advanced type. They do not need a stiff regime and are not usually institutionalized.

3. Rochester. Lads of fairly high intelligence, who have a considerable inclination towards crime.

4. Camp Hill. On an island mainly for motor car thieves.

5. Portland. Older boys with more experience in crime. Physically bigger and stronger.

6. Sherwood. The oldest type of Borstal lads. These should be treated as men rather than boys. They wear trousers instead of shorts.

7. Aylesbury. Borstal for adolescent girls.

Each institution has several "houses." Each house is an institution within an institution and is named after some national figure or hero. The house system forms the basis for competitive sports, all of which is promoted and developed in the finest of good spirit. Each house has a housemaster, an assistant housemaster and a matron. The house group of approximately seventy persons is further subdivided into groups of seven boys under a boy leader.

The clothing is brown for the first year and blue after, and between the two "there is a great gulf fixed." The "brown" boy is in training, still learning "to play the game." The "blue" boy has passed through four stages and has earned many privileges. Each privilege serves a double purpose; it acts as an incentive and also is a potention punishment withheld for cause. Formed into groups under a "blue" leader, the corporate pride is developed and a great natural force is brought into play. "House" loyalty is encouraged and the boy becomes proud of his house. The housemaster and staff set a standard, and the boys catch the spirit.

There is no pampering nor molly-coddling in the Borstal System. Each institution is a school and a very industrious school. A programme from 6 a.m. to 9 p.m. including four meals and regular recreational and physical activities, is the daily order. The Lowdham boys in two years moved 70,000 tons of earth. Self-control is learned in the gymnasium rather than on parade. After the Angelus rings there is a moment of silence at the close of the day, when each boy must be alone.

TO FIT FOR FREEDOM

The purpose is to teach wayward lads to be self-contained men to train them to be fit for freedom. Hence certain practices are followed in which some freedom is given. The boys go outside by themselves to church, join in technical classes in town, attend concerts and walk in the fields. The "blue" boys go to camp for a week each year on giving their word of honor to play the game in the freedom of hut and tent. Though a few fail, the important fact is reported that the vast majority of the "worst" boys in England show they can be trusted. The fundamental principle of the Borstal System is that a boy is regarded as a living organism, having the life and motive-power within. The task is to make him want to use his life well so that he will save himself from waste.

The Borstal System, as might be conjectured, has no merit apart from the Borstal staff. The best men in England are drawn upon, men who love and understand boys, men of strength and even temper, idealists and optimists. The unmarried men live with the boys. All the staff work and play with them, win their confidence, and culture the individual. Each is a wise father and elder brother of his family. The impact of a choice personality at close quarters is powerfully evocative of the best in the boy. As has been mentioned, many Toc H men are helpers. The appeal on behalf of British youth that was made some years ago by the present King brought a number of valuable recruits. All the staff are college or university men, many of whom have turned their back on high-priced jobs for boyhood's sake and as a patriotic duty.

In his book on "The English Borstal System," S. Barman writes that "one is interested to observe the religious training. The lads receive instruction more on fundamental principles of life than on any particular religious code. The purpose of such religious instruction is to inculcate in their minds an ideal attitude toward the meaning of life." There is a chapel in every institution, and in most houses there are little sanctuaries where housemaster and boy may retire for a private talk or where a boy may go for his own time of quiet. Both Borstal and Toc H hold that self-realization is found in fellowship with the Divine.

Win High Honors at Drama Festival

—Photos by Karsh, Ottawa

AFTER witnessing more than a score of plays from every part of Canada at the Dominion Drama Festival at Ottawa, Adjudicator Harley Granville-Barker awarded the Bessborough Trophy to the London Drama League for its production of "Twenty-Five Cents." To the author of the play, Eric Harris, went the honor of writing the best play by a Canadian. To Miss Judith Evelyn, of Toronto, formerly of University of Manitoba, went first prize for best woman's performance, and to Ivar Lewis, of Toronto, the best men's performance. Miss Evelyn is shown, upper left, in a scene from "The Magnanimous Lover." Mr. Lewis is shown, right, as the old mountaineer in "Napoleon Crosses the Rockies." Below, left to right, Marvyn Kenyon, Kitty Beltz Walker, Jack Glennie and Margaret Glass, four of the principals in a scene from "Twenty-Five Cents."

Why Smallpox?

Health Service of the Canadian Medical Association and Life Insurance Companies in Canada.

Before Edward Jenner announced, in 1798, that vaccination prevents smallpox, which nowadays is, to many of us, nothing but a name, this disease was as common as measles is today.

It is estimated that during the eighteenth century, at least sixty millions of people died in Europe from smallpox. Few there were who escaped, and among those who survived, some were blind and most were disfigured with the scars of the disease.

Smallpox was a disease which came to be regarded as inevitable. Macauley speaks of it, in his "History of England," as "always present, filling our churchyards with corpses, tormenting with constant fears all whom it had not yet stricken." Introduced to this continent by the early white settlers, it ran wild, killing one-half of the native Indian population. It is small wonder that the natives looked with anything but favor upon the newcomers.

We do not now have widespread epidemics of smallpox because many of us have been vaccinated. Every case of smallpox comes from a previous case. Those who are vaccinated break the chain of transmission. Not only are they protected against the disease, but as they cannot contract smallpox, they cannot pass it on to someone else. The unvaccinated shelter themselves behind those who are vaccinated.

The protection or immunity acquired through vaccination is relative in its extent and duration. The protection is lost gradually, some individuals losing it more quickly than others. Those who have been vaccinated once rarely die from smallpox as even fifty years or more after vaccination, some degree of immunity likely remains.

In the time of Jenner, there were mild epidemics of smallpox; the mild form seen today is nothing like. That fatal smallpox still lurks around the corner was shown, in 1924, at Windsor, Ontario. One girl, vaccinated six years previously, escaped, while twenty-one of her unvaccinated relatives died. Vancouver in 1932, had seventeen deaths; of those who died, only one had been vaccinated and that was thirty-six years before.

Vaccination is one of the safest procedures known to medical science. The best time to be vaccinated is between the sixth and the twelfth month of life. There is less discomfort at this age and all danger of smallpox in early life is avoided. Vaccination should be repeated after the tenth year of life and again, later on, if there is any danger of exposure.

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SKIPPER TO BE MARRIED

Captain Austin Is Relieving Captain Bryant for Voyage to Orient

Outbound for the Philippine Islands, yesterday, the American Mail Line Ss. President McKinley had a new master on the bridge and a new purser in charge of the ship's office, while Dr. John H. Morrison was back as medical officer, and Chief Steward Victor E. Ambrose returned to duty in charge of the dining-room staffs.

Captain D. C. Austin, U.S.N.R., who has recently been in command of Dollar Line vessels in the round-the-world service, was relieving Captain Clyde F. Bryant, who is taking time out from Pacific crossings to go to New York and be married. He will return in time to take the next sailing of the McKinley westbound.

Charles F. Sweaney is purser this trip in the place of Russ Harley, who is going to the Ss. H. F. Alexander, of Pacific Steamship Lines, running between Seattle, Victoria and California ports; while Dr. Morrison and Chief Steward Ambrose are filling their old positions after short holidays.

The McKinley arrived alongside Rithet Piers at 4.30 o'clock from Seattle, and sailed at 6 o'clock for Yokohama, her first port of call on the other side of the Pacific. The liner had a fair list of passengers and a full cargo. Several travelers boarded the ship here, and mail and some general freight were put aboard.

GOING TO HONGKONG

Among the travelers boarding the liner here were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Tyrrell, of Victoria, who will go as far as Hongkong, where they will be present at the marriage of their daughter in June. It is possible they will continue around the world from there.

Other passengers going to the Orient on the big liner included August J. d'Handt, bound from New York for Hongkong on a business trip; Paul Dietz, going to Shanghai, after visiting in Germany; Miss E. Erickson, en route to Manila; A. C. Hoar, from New York for Kobe; Monsieur F. d'Hardivilliers, returning to Shanghai from a visit to his former home in Paris; Judson C. Hubbart, Seattle, who will assume duties with a Japanese advertising firm on his arrival in Japan, and Dr. Ruth Hemenway, missionary from New York for Shanghai.

Also included among the liner's list of travelers were Mrs. Ingrid M. Holm, bound for Hongkong to visit relatives; Miss Luella B. Kountz, tourist from New York for Manila; Julius Lisman, fur buyer of New York, going to the Orient on a buying trip; John Murphy, Chicago tourist for Shanghai; A. H. Munson, fish trap technician, Seattle, making annual trip to Japan; Miss E. Nelson, missionary from New York, proceeding to Singapore; L. B. Oldeman, en route to Hongkong after visiting The Netherlands, and Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Stauffacher, missionaries going to Shanghai.

UNDERGROUND CAVES FOUND

Explorers Visit Sacred Retreats of Aborigines on Nularbor Plains

A party of six explorers which has returned from the Nularbor Plains, on the transcontinental route from Eastern to Western Australia, reports the discovery of many remarkable underground caves which were the secret retreats of the aboriginal tribes.

The travel underground was done in a canoe, which was lowered over an eighty-foot cliff to the entrance hall of the first cave. Later there came a drop of 1,500 feet, where a lake was reached.

The party used subsequently an eighty-foot ladder and entered a cave 800 feet in circumference, which opened into a vast tunnel, some of which had to be explored in darkness on account of the bad air.

Another cave led to a large lake, one hundred feet deep in the centre, which the whole party crossed by canoe. Another cave 1,200 feet long and 160 feet high appeared at the end of the waterway, and a tunnel led thence to a huge chamber, where thousands of tons of broken stalagmites were found.

Further exploration revealed a cave containing beautiful formations, and the walls of another cave were adorned with native drawings depicting red hands, which are believed to have been warnings guarding the secrets of the native tribes.

Mrs. Daisy Bates, who was in Adelaide engaged in writing the story of her thirty-five years among the aborigines of that region, explains that the natives always shunned the Nularbor Plains, as they were believed to be the abode of an enormous serpent which devoured human beings.

Ice Floes Damage Ships in Lake Erie

This ice-imprisoned freighter is one of many caught in a frosty blockade for several days recently in Lake Erie, near Port Colborne, Ont. The ice pack was the worst in years, and not until the Thunder Bay Quarries smashed her way through to open water were the freighters released. Veteran skippers said the pack seemed to extend to the bottom of the lake in some sections.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

Weather Report

ESTEVAN — Cloudy; southwest, light; 30.20; 52, smooth.

LEONARD ISLAND—Cloudy; northwest, light; 30.22; light swell.

PACHENA — Cloudy; northwest, light; 30.18; 54, light swell.

CARMANAH—Part cloudy; west, light; 30.21; light swell.

CAPE BEALE — Overcast; southwest, light; 30.23; light swell.

Wireless Report

(Estevan, 8 p.m., unless otherwise stated.)

LAPLACENTIA—Bound Vancouver, 388 miles from Vancouver.

KINROSS—Bound Vancouver, sixty miles south of Cape Blanco.

Transpacific Mails

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—Mails close 4 p.m., May 16. Due at Yokohama, May 27, Shanghai, June 1, Hongkong, June 4.

PRESIDENT GRANT—Mails close 4 p.m., May 22. Due at Yokohama, June 4, Shanghai, June 9, Hongkong, June 12.

*EMPRESS OF JAPAN—Mails close 4 p.m., May 30. Due at Yokohama, June 13, Shanghai, June 16, Hongkong, June 19.

*Carries mail for Honolulu.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

AORANGI—Mails close 4 p.m., May 20. Due at Auckland, June 5, Sydney, June 13.

MARIPOSA (Via San Francisco)—Mails close 11.15 p.m., May 23. Due at Auckland, June 12, Sydney, June 15.

MAKURA (Via San Francisco)—Mails close 11.15 p.m., May 31. Due at Wellington, June 22, Sydney, June 27.

Coasting Craft

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria at 3 p.m. daily for Vancouver; Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive daily at Victoria from Vancouver at 3.30 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elizabeth or Ss. Princess Joan will leave Victoria daily for Vancouver at 12 midnight; Ss. Princess Elizabeth or Ss. Princess Joan will arrive Victoria daily from Vancouver at 7 a.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will leave Victoria at 4.30 p.m. daily for Seattle. Ss. Princess Charlotte or Ss. Princess Alice will arrive daily at Victoria from Seattle.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE — Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 9 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois arrives in Victoria daily from Seattle at 8.35 a.m.

NANAIMO-VANCOUVER — Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo daily except Saturday and Sunday at 8 a.m. and 3.30 p.m., arriving at Nanaimo daily except Saturday and Sunday at 1.15 p.m. and 8.15 p.m. Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo Saturday only at 8 a.m., 2.30 p.m. and 8.15 p.m., arriving at Nanaimo Saturday only at 1.15 p.m. and 8.15 p.m.; Ss. Princess Elaine will leave Nanaimo on Sunday only at 5.45 p.m., arriving at Nanaimo on Sunday only at 1.15 p.m. and 11.15 p.m.

VICTORIA-WEST COAST—Ss. Princess Maquinna will leave Victoria for West Coast of Vancouver Island ports on the first, eleventh and twenty-first of each month at 11 p.m.

VANCOUVER-NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA—Ss. Princess Adelaide will leave Vancouver every Wednesday for Prince Rupert and way ports at 8 p.m.; Ss. Prince Rupert or Ss. Prince George will leave Vancouver for Stewart and way ports every Monday at 9 p.m.; Ss. Cardena will leave Vancouver every Tuesday at 9 p.m. for Prince Rupert and way ports; Ss. Catala will leave Vancouver every Friday at 9 p.m. for Stewart and way ports.

VANCOUVER — QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS—Ss. Prince Charles will leave Vancouver every alternate Saturday for Queen Charlotte Island points and Prince Rupert at 8 p.m.

SWARTZ BAY-FULFORD HARBOR—Mv. Cy Peck will leave Swartz Bay daily, except Wednesdays, at 9.30 a.m. and 5 p.m.; on Wednesdays only at 7 p.m. Mv. Cy Peck will leave Fulford Harbor daily, except Wednesdays, at 8.15 a.m. and 4 p.m.; on Wednesdays only at 6.45 a.m.

BRENTWOOD-MILL BAY—Mv. Cascade leaves Brentwood daily at 9 a.m., 10 a.m., 11 a.m., 12 noon, 3 p.m., 5 p.m., 6 p.m. and 8 p.m.; Mv. Cascade leaves Mill Bay daily at 8.30 a.m., 10.30 a.m., 11.30 a.m., 12.30 p.m., 2.30 p.m., 3.30 p.m., 4.30 p.m. and 5.30 p.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS — Princess Mary leaves Victoria every Tuesday for James Island, Piers Island, Port Washington, Ganges Harbor, Mayne Island, Galiano Island and Vancouver at 10.30 a.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES—Ss. Iroquois will leave Victoria daily for Port Angeles at 8 a.m.; Ss. Iroquois will arrive Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 8.35 a.m.

SIDNEY-ANACORTES—Ss. Rosario will leave Sidney daily for Anacortes at 1.45 p.m.; Ss. Rosario will arrive Sidney daily from Anacortes at 5.15 p.m.

Shipping Calendar

TO ARRIVE

MODAVIA—United Kingdom, May 11.

TALTHYBIUS — China and Japan, May 11.

PRESIDENT GRANT—Philippines, China and Japan, May 12.

AORANGI—Australia, New Zealand, Fiji and Hawaii, May 14.

LOCHKATRINE — United Kingdom, May 15.

EMPRESS OF JAPAN — Philippines, China, Japan and Hawaii, May 19.

PACIFIC PIONEER — United Kingdom, May 19.

GREGALIA—United Kingdom, May 28.

PRESIDENT JEFFERSON — Philippines, China and Japan, May 27.

DELFTDYK — Rotterdam and London, May 30.

TO DEPART

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—Japan, China and Philippines, May 16.

AORANGI—Hawaii, Fiji, New Zealand and Australia, May 20.

PRESIDENT GRANT—Japan, China and Philippines, May 23.

HEIAN MARU (Vancouver)—Japan ports, May 23.

EMPRESS OF JAPAN—Hawaii, Japan, China and Philippines, May 30.

Gulf Island Mail

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Mails close Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 11.15 p.m.; Tuesday, 10 a.m. Mails due Monday, 7.15 p.m.; Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, 7.15 a.m.

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SATURNA

Mails close Sunday, Wednesday, 11.15 p.m. Mails due Monday, 7.15 p.m.; Friday, 7.15 a.m.

SOUTH PENDER

Mails close Sunday, Wednesday, 11.15 p.m. Mails due Monday, 7.15 p.m.; Friday, 7.15 a.m.

MUSGRAVE

Mails close Tuesday, 10 a.m.; Friday, 11.15 p.m. Mails due Sunday, Wednesday, 7.15 a.m.

NORTH GALIANO

Mails close Sunday, 11.15 p.m.

West Coast Mails

Mails close 10 p.m. 1st, 11th and 21st each month for Ahousat, Bamfield, Clayoquot, Clo-oose, Ucluelet, Estevan Point, Kakawis, Kildonan, Kyuquot, Nootka, Port Alberni, Port Renfrew, Sechart, Tofino and Ucluelet. Due 1.15 p.m., 8th, 18th and 28th each month, except Ecoole.

Mails close 10 p.m., 21st each month and 8.45 a.m., 22nd each month for Centre Island. Due 1.15 p.m., 28th each month.

Mails close 8.45 a.m., 2nd, 12th and 22nd each month, except Sundays, for Clayoquot, Estevan Point, Kakawis, Kyuquot and Tofino.

Mails close 9.45 a.m., 6th, 16th and 26th each month, except Sundays, for Clo-oose, Port Renfrew, Bamfield and Kildonan.

Mails close 9.45 a.m., Thursdays and Saturdays, for Bamfield, Ecoole, Kildonan, San Mateo, Sechart and Ucluelet. Due 5.10 p.m., Tuesdays and Saturdays.

Mails close 11.15 p.m., Mondays, and 1 p.m., Fridays, for Hesiere, Port Alice and Quatsino. Due 7 a.m., Tuesdays and Fridays.

Mails close 10 p.m., 1st each month, and 9.45 a.m., 2nd each month, for Cachalot. Due 1.15 p.m., 8th each month.

British Mails

SS. EUROPA (via New York)—Mails close 4.00 p.m., May 14.

SS. AQUITANIA (via New York)—Mails close 4.00 p.m., May 15.

SS. DUCHESS OF BEDFORD—Mails close 1.15 p.m., May 17.

SS. MONTCLARE—Mails close 1.15 p.m., May 18.

Mail intended for transmission via New York must be so marked. When sent by air over United States lines, mail may be posted three days later than the dates indicated.

WEST INDIES GENERALLY

Mails close 1.15 p.m., May 13.

JAMAICA

Mails close 1.15 p.m., May 15, 17.

DUE IN ON WEDNESDAY

President Grant Coming From Orient—Modavia and Talthybius on Way

Coming in from Far East ports, the American Mail Line Ss. President Grant is due here first thing next Wednesday morning. The liner is bringing in a large list of passengers, among them being a party a fifty-seven Seventh Day Adventists. The liner has passengers, mails and cargo for this port, and will very likely be here several hours before continuing to Seattle.

Sailing aboard the Duchess of Richmond from Montreal on Friday next for Great Britain and Europe will be Hon. J. W. Fordham Johnson, retired Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, and Mrs. Fordham Johnson, Miss Mary Hall, Mrs. R. Harland, Mr. and Mrs. C. Mills, Miss D. Mills and Mrs. E. Anderson, all from Victoria. On the same day a number of other Victorians will take the liner Ss. Montrose at the St. Lawrence River port for the Old Country. They are J. Winter Brookman, Miss A. Brookman, Mrs. R. W. Paton, I. W. Paton, Miss Irene W. Paton, W. P. Hornley, Miss E. M. Whitmore and Miss A. Parker.

Two ships are scheduled to arrive here tomorrow from overseas. The Donaldson Line freighter Modavia should arrive from the United Kingdom, and the Blue Funnel Line Talthybius from China and Japan ports.

HEIAN PASSED IN

The Heian Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha Line, reached William Head late Friday night and arrived at Vancouver early yesterday morning. The liner had 151 passengers in all classes aboard.

Returns of casualties to motor and steam vessels of 500 gross tons and upwards during March which have been compiled by the Liverpool Underwriters' Association show total losses of fifteen vessels and partial losses of 544 vessels, compared with eight and 480, respectively, in the same month last year.

Addressing the annual meeting of the Cardiff and Bristol Channel Incorporated Shipowners' Association, held in Cardiff recently, J. C. Radcliffe, the new chairman, observed that it could not be emphasized too strongly that British shipping was still far from being on a profitable basis. All sections of British shipping had suffered and were continuing to suffer from the combined action of decreased trade and increased tonnage.

Two violent conflicting tendencies existed today, the revival of economic nationalism and a movement toward the growth of international co-operation. The future of the shipping industry, not only of Britain but of the world, would depend upon which of these forces ultimately triumphed.

MAINTAINING ITS SERVICE

Berengaria Will Run in Conjunction With Queen Mary And Acquitania

Recent rumors that the Berengaria would be retired from service this month with the advent of the new super-liner Queen Mary, are now banished by the issue of a revised schedule of Cunard-White Star sailings for 1936, in which the Berengaria is shown as maintaining the weekly express service throughout the season in conjunction with the Aquitania and the Queen Mary.

The traveling public will undoubtedly be pleased to hear that this ship is to be available to them for some time to come. Since the first reports appeared regarding the Berengaria's projected retirement, the company has been literally bombarded with expressions of regret.

The tremendous popularity of the Berengaria with the traveling public has long been a source of pride to the company. Thousands of celebrities in the theatrical, sport, artistic and social world have traveled on this grand old vessel.

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The Berengaria appeals not only to the person of means but also to those in moderate circumstances. Many of its tourist class staterooms were second class, and third class is now located where the former tourist class was.

Yukon and Atlin Mails

VIA VANCOUVER—Mails close 1.15 p.m., April 28, May 7, 14 and 26.

VIA SEATTLE—Mails close 4 p.m., May

Ministers Hear Instructive Talk

QUALICUM BEACH, May 9—Rev. A. G. Gay, of Parksville, and Rev. J. A. Petrie, of Qualicum Beach, attended the recent monthly meeting of the Upper Island Ministerial Association at St. George's United Church Manse, Courtenay, at which an interesting and instructive paper was given by Rev. Bryce Wallace on the Hawaiian Islands, where he had spent most of the Winter months.

Tentative arrangements were made for a picnic to be held at Qualicum Beach on a date in June. At the close of the formal proceedings refreshments were served and a social hour was spent.

Honolulu Mails

Mails close 11.15 p.m. May 3, 5, 12, 15, 16, 17, 23, 24, 26 and 30, and June 2 and 10.

MS. AORANGI — Mails close 4 p.m., May 20.

SS. EMPRESS OF JAPAN—Mails close 4 p.m., May 30.

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(Special to The Colonist)

OTTAWA, May 9—Reduction by 50 per cent of the area at the mouth of the Fraser River in which purse-seine fishing of the late run of sockeye salmon is now permitted is being considered, Fisheries Minister Michaud disclosed, following an interview late today with Thomas Reid (Liberal, New Westminster). The proposal under consideration was in the nature of a compromise of the bill which Mr. Reid withdrew in the Commons last night seeking complete abolition of purse-seine fishing at the Fraser mouth. Mr. Michaud will hold up his official decision until he makes a personal inspection.

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

Security Prices Close Steady at New York Mart

NEW YORK, May 9 (AP).—The stock market climbed on low-speed gear today, but it rolled into higher territory with gains of fractions to 2 or more points.

It was the slowest session since June 29 last, only 341,610 shares changing hands. The Associated Press average of sixty stocks ended up .5 of a point at 59.1.

The fate of the French franc was still the principal subject of discussion in the Wall Street sector, with opinions divided as to whether this monetary unit would be revalued downward soon, or whether the decision question would be left to the new Government which takes over the first of next month.

The franc was steady most of the day in foreign exchange dealings, but slipped back to finish off 1-4 of a cent at 6.58 3-8 cents. Reassurance of Paris officials helped, and it was also reported that the British equalization fund was active support.

Hupp Motors passed General Motors as the most active stock of the session, stepping up 3-4 of a point to 3 following decision of the company to resume plant operations which were suspended last year. General Motors firmed 1 1-8 at 64 1-4.

Among other outstanding gainers were J. I. Case at 150 1-2, American Can at 127, U.S. Steel at 58 1-4, U.S. Rubber at 29 3-8, Anaconda at 33 5-8 and Southern Pacific at 30 5-8.

A 10-point break in French Government dollar bonds featured in an otherwise listless bond market.

Transfers of $3,509,000 were the smallest for a two-hour session since August 31, 1935.

U.S. Government bonds closed 3-32nds higher to 5-32nds lower. Most of the longer-term treasuries were on the upside.

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Air Reduction	59-6	58-1	59-4
Allied Chemicals	185-4	182-2	183-2
Allis Chalmers	41-4	41-3	41-4
Amer. Can	127		127
Amer. Celanese	22-2	21-7	22-2
Amer. Locomotive	24-6	24-4	24-5
Amer. For. Power	7		7
Amer. Radiator	19-6	19-4	19-4
Amer. Rolling Mills	27-1	26-5	27
Amer. Smelter	78-6	75-6	78
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	155-6	155	155-6
Amer. Tobacco	92-4		92-4
Amer. Waterworks	20-2	20	20-2
Anaconda Copper	33-6	33-4	33-5
Atchison Railway	70-4	69-4	70-4
Atlantic Refining	32-4	32	32-4
Auburn	32-4	32	32-4
B. & O. Railway	17-8	17-2	17-8
Baldwin Locomotive	3-1		3-1
Bendix Aviation	27-4	27-1	27-4
Beth. Steel	49-6	48-9	49
Bohme	16-1	15	15
Borden	27	26-5	27
Briggs	46-4	46-2	46-4
Borg Warner	70	69-4	69-4
Cal. Pack.	31		31
C.P.R.	12-7	12-5	12-5
Case (J.I.)	150-4	146	150-4
Caterpillar Trac.	89		89
Cerro de Pasco	54		54
C. & O. Railway	55-3	53	55-3
Chrysler	95	94	94-7
Columbia Gas	17-2	17	17-2
Commercial Solvent	17-4	17-3	17-3
Commonwealth & So.	2-5	2-4	2-5
Congoleum	35-1	35	35-1
Con. Gas	28-7		28-7
Cont. Can	89	88-4	89
Cont. Oil	32-1	31-7	32-1
Curtiss Wright	6-2	6-1	6-1
Curtiss Wright "A"	14-5	14-3	14-5
Deere & Co.	77	76	77
Douglas Aircraft	55		55
Dupont	141-3	139-5	140-5
Eastman Kodak	162-6	162-4	162-4
Fairbanks Morse	45		45
Freeport Texas	30-2		30-2
General Foods	38-2		38-2
Gen. Electric	36-4	36-1	36-1
General Motors	64-2	63-3	64-2
Goodyear	25-1	25	25
Great Northern	35-4	34-5	35
Great West Sugar	35-3	35	35
Harvester	82-4	81-6	82-3
Hudson Motors	14-7	14-4	14-5
Hupmobile Motors	3	2-3	2-7
Intl. Nickel	45-6	45	45-4
Ind. Rayon	27-2	27-1	27-2
Int. Tel.	13-3	13	13-3
Ill. Central	19-4		19-4
Johns-Manville	90-8	90	90-6
Kennecott Copper	38-3	38	38-3
Kresge	21-4	21-2	21-2
Lambert Co.	20-2	20	20-2
Liquid Carbonic	35-2	34	35
Low's	46-4	46	46-4
Lorillard	22-3		22-3
Mathieson Alkali	29-2		29-2
Mexican Seaboard	34		34
Monsanto Chemical	8-8	8-4	8-4
Montgomery Ward	39-4	39-2	39-4
Nash	17-4	17-1	17-3
Natl. Biscuit	34-3	34-2	34-2
Natl. Dairy	22-6	22-4	22-6
Natl. Distillerles	29-3	28	29-3
Natl. Power & Lite	10	9-7	9-7
New York Central	33-7	33-3	33-3
North Amer. Aviation	8-2	8-1	8-1
Northern Pacific	27	26-6	26-6
Ohio Oil	13-6	13-3	13-3
Packard	9-7		9-7
Penn. Railway	30	29-6	29-6
People's Gas	36-4		36-4
Phillips Pete.	42-7	42-3	42-3
Pullman	42-2		42-2
Pure Oil	16-7	16-4	16-4
Radio	10	9-7	10
Rem. Rand	21	20-7	21-2
Republic Iron & Steel	18-5	18-2	18-4
Reynold's Tob.	52-8	52-4	52-4
Safeway Stores	30-6		30-6
Schenley	42-6	42-2	42-3
Sears Roebuck	85-4	85	85-4
Shell Union	17-7	17-3	17-5
Socony Vacuum	13-1	13	13
Southern Pacific	30-5	30	30-4
Southern Rly.	14		14
Sperry Corpn.	17	16-6	16-7
Standard Brands	15-4	15-3	15-3
Standard Oil, Cal.	39	38-7	39
Standard Oil, N.J.	60	59-2	59-2
Stewart Warner	18		18
St. Paul Rly.	1-5		1-5
Studebaker	11-6	11	11-1
Texas Corpn.	34-4		34-4
Texas Gulf Sulphur	34-8		34-6
Timken	60-4	60	60
Trans. American	12-2	12-1	12-2
Underwood Elliot	87-2		87-2
Union Carbide	80-3	79-2	80-3
United Airline	22-3	21-5	22-2
United Corpn.	5-7	5-5	5-7
United Fruit	72	71	72
United Gas & Imp.	14-6		14-6
U.S. Cast Iron Pipe	33	32-8	32-8
U.S. Indus. Alcohol	46-2	45-4	45-6
U.S. Realty	6-6		6-6
U.S. Rubber	29-4	28-7	29-3
U.S. Rubber pfd.	68	67	67-2
U.S. Smelting	90		90
U.S. Steel	58-4	58-7	58-2
Warner Bros.	10	9-7	10
Westinghouse Air Brake	36-4	36-2	36-2
Westinghouse Electric	107	105-4	106-7
Western Union	78-4	75	76
Woolworth	48-2	48	48-2
Zenith Radio	16-4		16-4

Metal Markets

NEW YORK, May 9 (AP).—Copper quiet; electrolytic, spot and future, 9.50; export, 9.17 1-2 to 20. Other metals nominally unchanged.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, May 9 (AP).—Foreign exchange irregular. Quotations in cents.

France—Demand 6.58 3-8; cables 6.58 7-8.
Italy—Demand 7.86; cables 7.86.
Belgium—17.03 Demand.
Germany—Free 40.47; reg. tourist 26.90; reg. commercial 21.90.
Holland—67.50.
Norway—25.02.
Sweden—25.66.
Denmark—22.24.
Finland—2.20 1-2.
Switzerland—32.32.
Spain—13.95.
Portugal—4.53 1-2.
Greece—.94.
Poland—18.65.
Czechoslovakia—4.15 1-2.
Jugoslavia—2.20.
Austria—19.73.
Hungary—29.55.
Rumania—.66.
Argentina—33.23.
Brazil—8.59.
Tokio—29.12.
Shanghai—30.10.
Hongkong—32.65.
Mexico City—27.65.
Montreal in New York—99.96 7-8.
New York in Montreal—100.03 1-8.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, May 9 (AP).—Quotations in dollars: Demand 4.99; cables 4.99; sixty-day bills 4.97.

TORONTO GOLDS SWING UPWARD

Senior Issues Turn Firmer—Paymaster Gains Eight Cents in Heavy Trading

TORONTO, May 9 (C).—The mining share market of the Toronto Exchange rounded out a full week of heavy action by trading more than 1,500,000 shares today and closing higher.

Lakeshore, McIntyre, Dome and Hollinger registered gains of fractions up to ¼, and Wright-Hargreaves firmed a few cents. Central Patricia, Red Lake, Pamour and Perron advanced 2 to 5 cents each. On the down side, by about the same spread, were Cariboo, Pickle Crow and Premier.

Volume leadership rested with Paymaster with a trade of 171,000 shares on a price advance of 8 cents to 1.08. Hard Rock advanced 2 cents. Oil stocks were steady and in slow trade.

(Mara, Bate & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Acme	12½	13½
Alak	58	85
Bagamac	18	19
Bankfield	84	87
Base Metals	19½	20
Bear Exploration	35	36
Beattie	1.38	1.39
Robin	16	16½
Bralorne	7.75	7.80
B R X	15	17
Buffalo Ankerite	5.40	5.45
C & E Corpn.	1.05	1.10
Canadian Malartic	1.05	1.10
Cariboo	1.37	1.42
Castle Trethaway	1.45	1.47
Central Patricia	3.46	3.49
Chibougamau	1.32	1.34
Coast Copper	2.10	2.15
Coniagurm	2.25	2.30
Dome	55.00	55.75
Eldorado	.94	.98
Falconbridge	7.00	
Goldvein Lake	.08	.97
Granada	.20	20½
Greene Stabell	.57	.58
Grunar	1.05	1.09
Hollinger	15.00	15.25
Home Oil		.95
Howey	.72	.73
Hudson Bay	35.62	26.00
Jackson Manion	.57	.58
Kirkland Lake	.45	.46
Lakeshore	56.50	57.00
Little Long Lac	7.00	7.05
Macassa	4.00	4.05
McWatters	1.30	1.35
Mining Corpn.	1.22	1.25
Morris Kirkland	.67	.70
Intl. Nickel	45.37	45.50
Nipissing	2.50	2.80
Noranda	53.50	54.00
Parkhill	.20	.21
Paymaster	1.01	1.10
Pickle Crow	4.35	8.40
Pioneer	8.80	9.75
Reid Authier	1.88	1.88
Reno	1.22	1.25
Rouyn-Ale	26.50	32.00
Sherritt Gordon	1.13	1.14
Sisco	3.35	3.36
Stadacona	.34	.35
Sullivan	.98	.98
Sylvanite	2.58	2.59
Teck-Hughes	4.60	4.85
Toburn	1.30	1.35
Wayside	.12	.12½
Wright-Hargreaves	8.15	8.20
Central Manitoba	3.46	3.49

Montreal Produce

MONTREAL, May 9 (C).—Prices held steady in decreased trading on the Canadian Commodity Exchange Saturday.

Butter—Quebec fresh, 19c.
Eggs—Ontario: "A" large, 21c; "A" medium, 19c; "C," 18c.

Liverpool Wheat

LIVERPOOL, May 9 (CP).—Following are today's per-bushel wheat quotations, c.i.f. Liverpool, in Canadian funds at current sterling exchange rate of 4.99: as supplied by Broomhall.

	Today	Y'day
No. 1 Man. Northern, Vancouver, May	92⅝	93⅛
No. 2 Man. Northern, Atlantic (Old), May	88⅞	90⅛
No. 2 Man. Northern, Vancouver (New), May	90⅞	91⅝
Australian, Afloat	93	94
Australian, May	94⅝	95⅝
French	82⅝	82⅞

DENTONIA GOLD LEADS MARKET

Golds Steady to Firm at Vancouver—Vidette Drops Seven Cents

VANCOUVER, May 9 (C).—Stocks closed generally steady, to firm on the short Saturday session of the Vancouver Stock Exchange. Transactions totaled 150,135 shares.

Dentonia Gold featured heavy trading to close up 3 at 22 1-2. Pioneer gained 20 at 9.75, Island Mountain, 3 at 1.43, and Premier, 1 at 2.31. Vidette dropped 7 at 1.06, Cariboo Gold Quartz, 3 at 1.37, Reno, 1 at 1.25, and Minto eased a fraction at 76 1-2. Wayside was fractionally higher at 12, and Nicola closed unchanged at 10 1-2. Other golds held steady. Big Missouri eased a cent to 64.

Base metals were dull. Pend Oreille was up 1 at 80 and Noble Five added a fraction at 3. B.C. Nickel eased a 1-2 cent at 32 and Golconda was unchanged at 12 1-2.

Oils were unchanged to higher. Calgary & Edmonton was up 3 at 1.10, Dalhousie, 1 at 45, and Merland, 1 1-2 at 18. Crow's Nest at 9 1-2, Mar Jon at 18 and Vanalta at 7 closed unchanged.

MORNING SALES

Oils

C & E—500 at 1.11.
Home—500 at 90.
Vanalta—500 at .07½.
Calmont—1,000 at .09½.
Crow's Nest—1,500 at 10½.
Dalhousie—200 at 47.
Freehold—200 at .05½; 2,000 at .06.
Southwest Pete—200 at .10.
Vulcan—19 at .10.

Mines

Bia Missouri—2,100 at .65.
Bralorne—30 at 7.50.
B R Con.—1,500 at .06.
B R X—2,000 at 15½, 1,000 at 15¾; 2,000 at 16.
Cariboo—100 at 1.40.
Dentonia—2,000 at 20½; 9,150 at 21; 5,500 at 21½, 500 at 21¾, 4,900 at 22; 1,000 at 22 (bb); 3,900 at 23.
Gold Belt—100 at 37; 500 at 38.
Island Mountain—400 at 1.43.
Mak Siccar—1,000 at .08; 200 at .09.
Premier—50 at 2.30; 100 at 2.31; 700 at 2.32.
Pioneer—1,400 at 9.75.
Reno—200 at 9.25.
Sheep Creek—1,600 at .69; 500 at .69½; 500 at .72½.
Wayside—2,000 at 12; 1,000 at .12½.
B C Nickel—300 at 32; 2,800 at 33.
Congress—3,500 at .17; 1,000 at .17½.
2,000 at .17½ (bb).
Federal—5,000 at .08; 2,000 at .08¼.
Gold Mountain—2,000 at .10½.
Grange—4,000 at .03½.
Haida—1,000 at .04½; 2,000 at .04¾; 500 at .05.
Hedley Amalgamated—1,000 at .29; 300 at .26½.
Home—8,000 at .03.
Indian—2,000 at .02½.
Minto—2,850 at .78; 3,700 at .77; 1,000 at .78.
Nicola—2,000 at .10½; 300 at .11½.
Noble Five—4,000 at .03; 1,500 at .03½; 100 at .03.
Pend Oreille—100 at .80; 200 at .92.
Pilot—1,100 at .06½; 3,000 at .08½; 9,000 at .07.
Porter Idaho—400 at .05½.
Quesnelle Quartz—1,000 at .09.
Reliance—6,000 at .08¼; 1,000 at .08½; 2,000 at .08½.
Reward—8,500 at .09½.
Silverpeak—2,000 at .09½.
United Empire—1,000 at .02.
Vidette—200 at 1.03; 200 at 1.04; 200 at 1.05; 400 at 1.08; 400 at 1.10; 200 at 1.12 (bb).
Viking—1,300 at .05½.

Industrials

Coast Breweries—12 at 13.00.
Coast Breweries Rights—20 at 4.75; 5 at 4.80.

SHARP SETBACK IS NOT LIKELY

Review of Markets Shows Security Offerings Near Record of 1929

The possibility of a severe setback to business in the second quarter is deprecated in The March of the Markets, now currently being distributed to the clients of Bird & Talling, Ltd., of Victoria. Following a first quarter in which a long list of leading corporations made the best showing in four to six years, a reaction might have been expected. It is contended that such will not prove to be the case, however. The steel industry at close to the 70 per cent rate of production, the automobile trade not far from the April pace and a most encouraging outlook for the building industry are expected to hold industry generally at a level close to the first quarter rate.

According to The March of the Markets, the $915,000,000 of new securities offered in April was close to the October, 1929, peak of $980,000,000. Most of the April business was for refunding at lower rates, but a significant amount of new capital was raised. In the light of the conditions prevailing at the close of the month, it is held that May financing will probably be at a more moderate pace.

In the field of non-industrial affairs uncertainties are found in the swing of the French to the left, the matters pending before the Supreme Court and the restiveness of labor. On the whole, however, it is concluded that the outcome will be less disturbing than continued uncertainty.

Leading Industrials Move Narrowly at Eastern Exchanges

MONTREAL, May 9 (C).—Late buying support failed to put gains on top of Montreal Stock Exchange today.

Bathurst Paper, in good demand, advanced 3-4 at 14 1-2. Other papers were steady, while Distillers-Seagrams lost 1-4. Nickel closed 1-2 higher at 45 1-2 in light trading. Smelters lost 1-4 while Noranda added 5-8.

Heavy selling depressed Canadian Celanese a point, but Dominion Textile managed to hold a gain of 1-2. Bank of Montreal gained 2 points at 190.

TORONTO EXCHANGE

TORONTO, May 9 (C).—Industrial listings of the Toronto Exchange gave a drab performance in the closing session of the week. Prices held practically steady.

International Petroleum had an advance of 1-4. C.P.R., Ford "A," Brazilian and Consolidated Smelters were down minor fractions at the close and International Nickel 1-2 up.

Gains of a point or more were boarded for Blue Ribbon preferred, Canada Packers, Famous Players, Standard Steel preferred and International Metals preferred. Liquors were quiet.

WHEAT PRICES RALLY SHARPLY

Futures Gain More Than Cent in Brisk Overseas Buying at Winnipeg

WINNIPEG, May 9 (C).—In a spirited rally, wheat prices were uplifted from new season's low levels to close at virtually their best prices of the day, 1 1-4 to 1 1-8 cents a bushel higher, on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange Saturday.

The May future finished at 77 3-4, July, 78 3-8 to 1-2, and October, 79 5-8 to 3-4 cents as brisk overseas buying of Canada's wheat wiped away bearishness engendered by continued rains over the United States Winter wheat belt.

Weakness at Chicago had but a momentary adverse effect on the local price structure. Values dipped a half-cent, but swiftly recovered as export of more than 1,000,000 bushels developed.

Cash and coarse grains prices firmed with wheat.

WINNIPEG GRAIN

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	P.C.	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—					
May	78⅛	78½	77⅞	78½	77⅞
July	77⅞	77	78½	76⅞	78
Oct.	78⅛	78⅛	79⅞	78⅛	79⅞
Oats—					
May	31	31	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛
July	b31	b31	31⅛	31⅛	a31⅛
Oct.	a29⅞	b29⅞	30⅛	30⅛	b30⅞
Rye—					
May	40⅛	b40⅛	41	40⅞	a40⅞
July	41⅞	41½	42	41½	a41⅞
Oct.	b42⅞	43⅛	43⅛	43	43
Barley—					
May	36	36	37⅛	36	37⅛
July	36	36	37⅛	36	37
Oct.	a37	36⅞	37⅛	36⅞	37⅛
Flax—					
May	..	..	145⅛		
Oct.	..	..	145	144	144
Oct.	..	..	141⅛	140⅛	140⅛

CASH GRAIN

Wheat: 1 Hard, 79 1-4; 1 Nor., 77⅞; 2 Nor., 75⅞; 3 Nor., 72; 4, 67⅞; 5, 61⅞; 6, 51⅛; Feed, 42⅛; Track, 77⅞. Amber Durum No. 1, 72; 2, 66⅞; 3, 64; 4, 58⅞; Track, 72⅛. ARW Wheat No. 1, 86⅛; 2, 64⅞; 63⅞; Garnet Wheat 1, 73⅛; 2, 71⅞.

Oats—2 CW, 32⅛; 3 CW, 29⅞; Ex. 1 Feed, 28⅛; 1 Feed, 26⅛; 2, 24⅛; 3, 23; Track, 31⅛.

Barley—2 ROW, 41⅛; 6 ROW, 41⅛; 3 CW, 37⅛; 4 CW, 36⅞; 5 CW, 34⅞; 6 CW, 32⅛; Track, 37⅛.

Rye—1 CW, 40⅞; 2 CW, 40⅞; 3 CW, 39; Rej. 2, 34⅞; 4 CW, 34⅞; Track, 40⅞.

Flax—1 NWC, 145⅛; 2 CW, 141⅛; 3 CW, 130⅛; 4 CW, 121⅛; Track, 145⅞.

CHICAGO GRAIN

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	92⅞	94	92⅞	94
July	86⅞	86⅞	85⅞	86⅞
Sept.	86⅞	86⅞	85⅞	85⅞
Corn—				
May	63⅞	63⅞	63	63⅞
July	61⅞	61⅞	61⅞	61⅞
Sept.	59⅞	59⅞	59⅞	59⅞
Oats—				
May	26⅞	26⅞	26⅞	26⅞
July	a28⅞	28⅞	28⅞	28⅞
Sept.	26⅞	26⅞	26⅞	26⅞
Rye—				
May	..	51⅞	51⅞	a53⅞
July	..	52⅞	52⅞	52⅞
Sept.	..	52⅞	52⅞	52⅞

BAR GOLD AT LONDON

MONTREAL, May 9 (C).—Bar gold in London up 2 cents at $34.98 an ounce in Canadian funds, 140s 2½d in British funds. The fixed $35 Washington price amounted to $35 in Canadian funds with the United States dollar at par.

New York Curb

(H. A. Humber, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Amer. Cyanamid "B"		3⅛
Amil. Super.	2	2⅛
Amer. Gas	25	25⅛
Associated Gas	1⅞	1⅞
Brazilian	10⅞	10⅞
Cities Service	4	4⅛
Elec. Bond	17⅛	17⅛
Ford "A"	22	22⅛
Ford of England	7⅞	7⅞
Hudson Bay	25⅞	26⅛
Humble Oil	61	62⅛
Intl. Petr.	37⅞	38
Imp. Oil	21⅞	21⅞
Newmont	80	81
Pioneer	9⅞	9⅞
Standard Oil Kentucky	17⅞	17⅞
Amer. Aluminum	117	118⅛
United Gas	7⅞	7⅞
United Power Lite "A"	5	5⅛
Niagara Hudson Power	8⅛	8⅛
Distillers, England	24⅞	25⅛
Gulf Oil	63⅞	64⅛
Atlas Corpn.	11⅞	12
Marconi	1⅞	2
Fisk Rubber	5⅛	5⅞
Cons. Pete.	28	28⅛
Cord	5⅛	5⅞
Lakeshore	56⅞	57
Teck Hughes	4⅞	4⅞
Hecla Mining	13	13⅞
Wright Hargreaves	8	8⅛
Sunshine	19⅞	19⅞
Premier Mining	2⅞	3⅞

Stocks and Bonds

(A. E. AMES & CO., VICTORIA)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	143	144
Brazilian T.L. & P.	10⅛	10⅞
B.A. Oil	23	23⅛
B.C. Power "A"		29½
Canada Cement	6⅞	7
Canada Cement pfd.	66	67
Canadian Pacific	12⅛	12⅞
Con. Mining & Smelting	55⅛	56
Fanny Farmer	15	15⅛
Ford "A"	22⅛	22⅞
Gypsum, Lime & Alab.	6⅛	6⅞
Imperial Oil	21⅞	21⅞
Imperial Tobacco	13⅞	13⅞
Intl. Nickel	45⅛	45⅛
Intl. Petroleum	37⅞	37⅞
McColl Frontenac	15⅛	15⅞
McColl Frontenac pfd.	108	109
Montreal Power	31⅛	32⅛
Shawinigan W. & P.	30⅞	20⅛
Bralorne	7.25	7.50
Dome	55	56⅞
Lake Shore	58⅛	58⅞
Macassa	4.05	4.10
Noranda	53⅛	54
Pioneer Gold	9.75	9.75
Premier	2.30	2.34
Sherritt Gordon	1.11	1.12
Teck Hughes	4.80	4.85
Ventures	1.94	1.96
Wright Hargreaves	6.15	6.20
Bank of Montreal	180	192
Royal Bank	169	169⅞

Dominion Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

		Bid	Asked
Dom. of Can.	1937 5½%	107.25	108.25
" "	1937 5 %	103.75	104.25
" "	1938 5 %	101.25	102.25
" "	1939 4 %	109.25	107.25
" "	1940 4½%	110.25	111.125
" "	1941 5 %	113.25	114.125
" "	1942 3 %	103.75	104.75
" "	1943 5 %	114.25	119.25
" "	1944 4½%	112.25	113.125
" "	1945 4 %	106.50	106.375
" "	1946 4½%	112.25	113.25
" "	1949 3½%	103.625	104.50
" "	1952 4 %	107.375	104.25
" "	1966 4½%	109.625	110.50
" "	1957 4½%	109.75	110.675
" "	1956 4½%	110.125	111.00
" "	1949 4½%	110.25	111.125
" "	1955 3 %	99.00	98.675
C.N.R.	1951 4½%	113.50	114.50
"	1956 4½%	113.25	114.50
"	1957 4½%	111.50	112.50
"	1955 4½%	116.00	117.25
"	1949 5 %	116.50	117.75
"	1970 5 %	116.75	118.00
"	1954 5 %	118.00	117.50
"	1953 3 %	98.25	99.25
"	1944 3 %	102.625	103.75
"	1950 3 %	98.00	99.00

Bond Quotations

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

MUNICIPAL

	Bid	Asked
Municipality of Esquimalt 5%, 1963	....	84.00
City of Vancouver 5%, 1989	....	91.00
Greater Vancouver Water District 4½%, 1970	97.00	100.00
City of Edmonton 4½%, 1981	....	82.75
City of Edmonton 7%, 1941	....	97.00
City of Montreal 5%, 1945	102.00	104.00
City of Quebec 5%, 1953	106.50	108.50
Toronto Harbor 4½%, 1953	104.00	109.00

PROVINCIAL

	Bid	Asked
Prov. of Alberta 4%, 1957	74.75	77.25
Prov. of Alberta 4½%, 1961	....	89.25
Prov. of Alberta 5%, 1955	....	61.75
Prov. of Alberta 6%, 1947	78.75	63.25
Prov. of B.C. 4%, 1957	89.75	92.25
Prov. of B.C. 4½%, 1969	....	96.25
Prov. of B.C. 5%, 1953	96.25	98.25
Prov. of B.C. 5½%, 1945	97.25	98.75
Prov. of B.C. 6%, 1947	96.25	98.75
Prov. of Manitoba 4%, 1957	97.75	100.25
Prov. of Manitoba 4½%, 1951	98.00	101.00
Prov. of Manitoba 5½%, 1954	104.75	106.25
Prov. of Ontario 4%, 1969	103.75	106.75
Prov. of Ontario 4½%, 1945	104.75	110.75
Prov. of Quebec 4½%, 1958	109.00	112.00
Prov. of Quebec 4½%, 1963	112.25	114.25
Prov. of Sask. 4%, 1944	96.25	97.75
Prov. of Sask. 4½%, 1951	82.50	84.75
Prov. of Sask. 5%, 1958	98.25	97.75
Prov. of Sask. 5½%, 1952	98.75	100.25
Prov. of Sask. 6%, 1942	100.25	101.75

Corporation Bonds

(Burns & Wainwright, Ltd.)

PUBLIC UTILITIES

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Power 5½%, 1960	104.50	106.00
B.C. Telephone 4%, 1960	105.25	106.75
B.C. Electric 6%, Pfd.	108.50	109.75
B.C. Telephone 6%, Pfd.	106.25	107.75
Beauharnois Power 5%, 1973	28.00	27.50
Calgary Power 5%, 1960	100.25	101.50
C.P.R. 5%, 1954	106.75	107.25
Can. Nor. Power 5%, 1953	103.50	105.00
Gatineau Power "A" 6%, 1941	88.75	91.25
Intl. Hydro 6%, 1944	42.25	43.75
Western Power 5%, 1946	105.25	107.25

INDUSTRIALS

	Bid	Asked
Burns Bundles 5%, 1948	93.75	94.25
Canada Steamships 5%, 1941	66.75	69.75
Canada Cement 5½%, 1947	105.75	107.25
General Steel Wares 6%, 1952	100.00	101.00
Federal Grain 6%, 1949	88.75	90.75
McColl-Frontenac 5%, 1949	103.25	104.25
Simpson's Ltd. 5%, 1949	104.75	106.25

Silver Markets

LONDON, May 9 (AP).—Bar silver, quiet; 1-8 lower at 20 1-8d.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, May 9 (AP).—Bar silver, nominal, no quotation.

TOONERVILLE FOLKS

Victoria Bank Clearings Indicate Continued Improvement

BANK clearings reported by the Victoria Clearing House for the period January to April, inclusive, this year were $27,334,239, for a gain of $3,205,877 over the corresponding period last year. The improvement, it was said, was fairly general, with stock activity leading.

Month by month, with the corresponding figures from last year in parenthesis, the report showed: January, $6,633,708 ($5,921,522); February, $6,503,340 ($5,660,436); March, $7,096,775 ($5,894,193); April, $7,100,416 ($6,652,211). Total for four months, $27,334,239 ($24,128,362).

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2 DEATHS

GEMMELL—In the St. Joseph's Hospital, on Saturday, May 9, 1936, there passed away Thomas Hastings Gemmell, aged seventy-seven years. A resident of Goldstream, the late Mr. Gemmell was born in Wanlockhead, Scotland, and came to Victoria forty-eight years ago. He leaves to survive his passing one brother, John Gemmell, in Scotland, and one sister, Mrs. A. Rose of Goldstream. Funeral services will be conducted on Tuesday, May 12, 1936, in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary, Ltd., at 3 o'clock, Rev. Dr. Clem Davies will officiate, and the remains will be laid at rest in the Colwood Burial Park.

SHAW—On May 8, 1936, at the family residence, 2418 Shakespeare Street, there passed away Frank Sidney Shaw, aged forty-seven years. The deceased was born in England and came to Canada, residing for some years in Calgary, Alberta. For the past twenty-five years he had been a resident of Victoria. During the Great War Mr. Shaw served with the 88th Fusiliers. He leaves to mourn his passing his widow, at the family residence, and two brothers, James and Peter, in England. Funeral services will be conducted on Monday, May 11, 1936, in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary, Ltd., at 2 o'clock, Rev. Canon P. A. P. Gladwin will officiate, and the interment will be in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

AKERMAN—At Lady Minto Hospital, Ganges, on Saturday, morning, Annie Campbell Akerman, aged 81 years, wife of James Akerman, of Beaver Point, Saltspring Island. The late Mr. Akerman was born in Greenock, Scotland, and had been a resident of Saltspring for the past twenty-six years, and is mourned by, besides her husband, one daughter, Mrs. Ivy Clark, of Beaver Point, and one grandson, also two sisters in Scotland and a brother in India and several cousins in Vancouver. The funeral service will be held on Monday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, in St. Mary's Church, Fulford Harbor, Rev. C. H. Popham officiating. Interment will be made in the churchyard. Flowers gratefully received by McCall Bros. Funeral Home, Fulford Harbor, Monday morning will be taken to the service.

HUGHES—On Saturday, May 9, 1936, there passed away in this city, David Graham Hughes, of 899 Esquimalt Road, aged fifty years. The deceased was born in Perth, Australia, and came to Canada twenty-seven years ago, and for the past twelve years he has been a resident of this city. He leaves to mourn besides his sorrowing wife, at the family residence, one daughter, Millicent; one brother, Samuel Murray, in Scotland, and an uncle, Dr. F. C. Smith, of Lemon Gyne. The late Mr. Hughes was a veteran of Gallipoli and was an active member of the Naval Veterans. No. 42. During the Great War he served overseas with the 14th Australian Battalion. The remains are resting at the Sands Mortuary, Ltd., and funeral arrangements will be made later.

GOULD—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Saturday, May 9, Lauretta Bernard Gould, aged eighty-two years, wife of Captain Isaac Archibald Gould, of 953 Simcoe Street. The late Mrs. Gould was born in Prince Edward Island and had been a resident of this city for the past forty-five years. She was a member of First United Church and was well known for her work in the interests of the Aged and Infirm Women's Home, being one of the founders of this Institution. She is mourned by, besides her husband, three brothers, John and Johnson Bernard, of Prince Edward Island, and Robert L., of San Francisco; two sisters, Mrs. M. A. Evans, of Vancouver, B.C., and Mrs. George McLeod, of Prince Edward Island; a nephew, Lenthing Evans, of this city; a niece in New Westminster, and other nephews and nieces in Eastern Canada and United States. The funeral will take place on Tuesday afternoon, from McCall Bros. Funeral Home, at 2 o'clock. Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., will conduct the service. The place of interment will be announced later.

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65 AUTOMOBILES

65A FOR SALE

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CONVENIENCES of the city, with low taxation.
Bright rooms, cement basement, furnace, glass, nice lot with fruit trees.
Owner leaving for Mainland next month, which accounts for the exceptionally low price of

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SWINERTON & CO., LIMITED
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LOOK, $1,000
CHANCE FOR A HANDY MAN—HOUSE needs some repairs. Contains six good rooms, built-in features, fireplace, modern plumbing, good garden. Easy walking distance to town. A bargain for someone. Terms arranged.
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CLEAN SIX-ROOMED BUNGALOW, Stanley Ave., $2,000. Also six-roomed modern house, Balmoral Road, $1,500. E 5726

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FOR SALE—TWO ACRES AND 5-ROOM house, cement basement, furnace, hot and cold water, electric light, large living-room and open fireplace. Built 1921 and cost $3,500. $2,000 or reasonable offer will buy, on terms, to settle up estate. Common Investment & Securities Co. Phone E 6414

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FOR SALE BY OWNER. NEW 5-roomed stucco bungalow, 2852 Richmond Drive. Large living-room with hardwood floor, Dutch kitchen, modern bathroom. Wonderful view. Full cement basement with furnace. $2,450.

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FOR SALE OR RENT—BUNGALOW ON Glen Lake, Colwood, fireplace, electric lights, nearly 2 acres. Owner—Box 5321 Colonist.

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OAK BAY OFFERS INVITED ON 682 Island Road. Ground floor includes entrance hall, living-room 15 x 22, dining-room, one bedroom, kitchen, separate bath and toilet. Two bedrooms upstairs. Patent roof. Plumbing and wash tubs. Lot 50 x 142 to lane. Garage. Charmingly situated and close to schools, golf, beaches, car and bus. Listed a few years ago at $5,500. Executor now desires to wind up estate and will entertain an offer of half or less terms to suit. Complete furnishings may be included.

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Situated N.W. corner Graham Street and Lyall Avenue, an exceptionally well-built HOME of eight rooms, newly decorated inside, and the whole house is in splendid condition. Look at it, then consider the price of $2,150, and you will agree that it is a SPECIAL BARGAIN. Clear title.

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New Saanich House, $850

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SAANICH—Two-room cottage with two good garden lots. For quick sale—**$350.**

EXCHANGE—Superior Fairfield bungalow, 6 rooms, hardwood floors, etc., for 5-room Fairfield bungalow. Value **$4500.**

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A neat little 4-roomed cottage with basement, in good condition, two miles out. Taxes $10. On easy terms **$950**

Cosy cottage of 3 rooms, near Oak Bay district, good lot, low taxes. Price **$1000**

Four rooms, Oak Bay, near Fair Grounds. Living-room, open fireplace, 2 bedrooms, kitchen, 3-piece bath. On terms **$1400**

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BRENTWOOD BAY—Close to waterfront. Cosy new four-room cottage, consisting of living-room, kitchen, two bedrooms, three-piece bathroom, on 1 acre, nicely treed. Price **$1650**

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SAVES LIFE OF PET GOLDFISH

Woman Sews Up Severed Fish With Needle and Thread

WASHINGTON, May 9 (AP).—Mrs. Wallace Powell, a capital housewife, received neighborly commendation today for saving the life of a goldfish with needle and thread.

It happened like this:

Swimming serenely in his glass bowl, the fish was suddenly dumped on the floor as a member of the family brushed against the aquarium.

The bowl broke and a piece of the splintered glass cut the goldfish in two. He was hanging together only by his spine, Mrs. Powell said.

Thinking quickly, she raced across the room, swooped up her sewing basket, whipped out a needly and a thin piece of white thread.

JUST PLAIN STITCHES

Then, bending to the dying fish she proceeded to sew him up.

"I just took plain stitches," she explained, "just as if I were mending a pair of pants."

The operation took but five minutes, and she deposited the mended pet in another receptacle and waited.

"He sort of lay on his side for a while," she said, "and then he began to show life."

By the next day he was swimming, and at the end of the week he was manoeuvring with his old abandon.

MANY KILLED IN FIERCE FIGHTING

Thirty Persons Lose Their Lives in Clashes Between Strikers and Greek Troops

ATHENS, Greece, May 9 (AP).—Fierce fighting between tobacco strikers and troops in Salonika ended tonight after thirty persons had been killed and more than a hundred wounded, and after striking transportation workers had been "mobilized" to keep them at their posts.

Army commanders took control of the situation and order was restored by nightfall. Workers and owners conferred at the residence of General John Metazas, Minister of War, in search of an agreement.

The major fighting began when the strikers fired on an armored car which was patrolling the streets.

FOOT-BINDING IS UNDER THE BAN

Authorities in Honan Province of China Also Lay Down Law on Hairdressing

NANKING, May 9 (AP).—Admirers of old-fashioned feminine beauty in the Interior Province of Honan, must change their ideas on what is winsome and attractive, for the authorities have started a campaign against "lily feet" and long hair.

The cruel practice of binding little girls' feet so that they would resemble the lotus lily in bud has been illegal for years, but in the Interior, girls still are deformed to meet traditional standards of grace.

Shingled hair for little girls and shoulder-length bobs for young ladies is another order of the new day in a land where long braids or coiled tresses once were marks of gentility.

TWO GIRLS WIN AT LOG-ROLLING

EUGENE, Ore., May 9 (AP).—Were the men students' faces red on the University of Oregon campus today?

Two girls, Mary McCracken, who said she knew all about log-rolling because she had an uncle in the Legislature, and Jean Stevenson, whose father runs a sawmill, handily defeated two youths who dared to oppose them today in a log-rolling contest on the millrace.

The chagrined boys were Bill Reese, Portland, and Bruce McIntosh, Dallas. The girls, both residents of Portland, outlasted both men, and Miss Stevenson won a bright red logger's shirt as first prize for keeping her feet drier than her partner.

BEGGARS REVOLT AT INHOSPITALITY

Four Hundred in Indian Village Beat Householders and Burn Their Houses

LUCKNOW, India, May 9 (AP).—Far from humble, 400 beggars ran riot at Chandravali village, near here, in revolt over what they termed the "inhospitality" of the villagers.

The night was cold, but the villagers refused to part with fuel for the beggars' fire.

Instead of shivering in doorways, the mendicants, called "Sadhus," broke open every house, dragged out the householders and beat them unmercifully.

Then they fired the houses, liberated the cattle and chased them out of the village.

Celebrates Anniversary of Bard's Birth

During the Annual Celebrations, April 23, of the Birthday of William Shakespeare, Tremendous Crowds Waited Throughout the Day to Visit the Birthplace of the Genius. Crowd Is Shown Above Waiting Outside Stratford House, the Playwright's First Home.

MEXICAN REBELS ROUTED IN CLASH

Twenty-One Killed in Fierce Five-Hour Battle in Jalisco State

MEXICO CITY, D.F., May 10 (AP).—A fierce five-hour battle between rebels and Government troops, in which thirteen rebels and eight soldiers were killed, was reported today in dispatches from Guadalajara, capital of the State of Jalisco.

Army headquarters at Guadalajara, the dispatches said reported troops of the 27th Regiment, under Captain Teofilo Garcia and Lieutenant Crisanto Campos, engaged fifty rebels headed by Macedonio Altorre on Caracol Hill, and routed them after sharp fighting.

As they fled, it was announced, the insurgents left behind them guns, ammunition and horses, along with their dead.

Army casualties included eight private and non-commissioned officers killed, and Lieutenant Campos, who was wounded.

Nail Tips Must Harmonize With Make-Up of Face

By GLADYS GLAD

Color harmony, according to make-up experts, is a most important factor in the making of an attractive woman. And, I think, most women realize that fact in so far as cosmetics are concerned. But most women don't carry the color harmony idea far enough. They forget, in this day of vividly tinted nails, that the nails enter the color harmony idea picture, too, and they must be given consideration, if perfect balance is to be preserved.

There are, at present, three generally accepted tints of red nail polish. They are the lipstick red, the yellowish red and the bluish red. And if you wish to wear the red nail enamel, you have to use the correct shade for your type. For there should be no unpleasant clashing of colors when your hands come into proximity with your face.

Fortunately for women of this generation, cosmeticians seek for perfection from every angle. And now a famous producer of nail polishes has added to his line a lipstick that matches in shade every one of the nail colors he manufactures. He apparently realized that when a woman buys a lipstick of one make and a nail polish of another, there is bound to be some discrepancy in color. So, to preserve harmony, he has introduced lipsticks and nail polishes that match perfectly. And other nail polish manufacturers are now following his extmple.

COLORS VARY

Women vary so much in coloring, of course, that it would be impossible to prescribe the correct nail and lipstick hues for every type. There are, however, a few general rules that really do prove helpful. In most cases, for instance, the blonde who wears cheek and lip rouge of a yellowish cast should select the red polish with a yellowish tinge. The titian-haired lass should also favor the yellowish-red polishes. The brownette can use the true reds and lipstick reds. While the brunette who uses the deeper shades of cheek and lip rouge can safely select the bluish or the bright red nail polishes.

Simplicity, Keynote Of Decorations for Royal Duke's Home

By JOAN LITTLEFIELD
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LONDON. — Coppins, the many-gabled, typically English country house at Iver, Buckinghamshire, which was left to the Duke and Duchess of Kent by the late Princess Victoria, is being renovated in preparation for their Royal Highnesses' arrival there, probably this month.

The keynote of the new decorations is simplicity. The ivy has been stripped from the walls, the shrubbery has been cleared, leaving room for additions to the wide-sweeping lawns and a portico at the main entrance, and a veranda outside the late Princess' bedroom are being removed.

Tiny, curving pathways have been cut through the wooded garden, which has been described as "an English paradise," with its three giant pines and a quiet stream rippling in gentle cascades through rock pools and under a little wooden bridge.

The walls inside the house have been stripped in readiness for redecoration, which will be carried out on modern lines. The Duke and Duchess are taking the greatest interest in every detail, and both of them visit their new home several times a week. Queen Mary, too, has been a frequent visitor.

Princess Victoria was a very good home-manager, and her kitchen, in which all the cooking was done by gas, was distinguished for its efficiency and excellence. A notable feature of her dinners was the 675-piece dinner set, every plate and piece of which was stamped in color with some happy and intimate picture of a member of the Royal Family.

Coppins was originally built as the farm house of a large estate. It first came into prominence as the home of the late Jane Seymour, a lady-in-waiting to Queen Victoria. It is only a few miles from Windsor, and, though situated in quiet country, it is less than an hour's motor drive from London.

Clearing Tough Barrier

A Startling Picture, Taken From an Unusual Angle, Shows Horses Clearing a Barrier During the Newmarket and Thurlow Hunt Point-to-Point Races at Great Thurlow, England.

McAvoy Hitting Canvas

Jack Petersen, British and Empire heavyweight champion, successfully defended his titles by defeating Jock McAvoy, British middleweight champion, on points, in a fifteen-round contest at the Empress Stadium, Earl's Court, London, England, recently. Photo shows McAvoy down on the canvas for the count in the fifteenth round.

New Gear Stops Rolling of Ship

LONDON (BUP).—Life on the rolling waves may now be enjoyed without the roll.

When the new Southern Railway steamer Isle of Sark, first British ship to be fitted with stabilizing gear, arrived at Jersey recently on her first service test, there was not a pale passenger among the 140.

Part of the secret is fins which can be put outboard in rough weather by hydraulic pumps.

CAPETOWN (BUP). — Harbor tariffs at all ports in the Union of South Africa are to be cut in half by the Administration of Railways and Harbors. The reductions are being made to encouraged motor ships and oil burners to bunker at South African ports.

ENTIRE FARM IS MOVED BY TRAIN

LONDON (BUP). — An entire farm, complete with livestock, farm implements and household furniture, was moved bodily from one part of Yorkshire to another by train.

A.L.N.E.R. motor fleet collected the farm piecemeal at Worsborough near Barnsley and took it to a special train at Barnsley where it travelled 100 miles to Yarm-on-Tees. The entire moving operation took only a few hours.

Blind Man Plays Good Golf Game

SYDNEY, N.S.W. (BUP).—David Hunter, thirty, has been blind since he was six years old, but he enjoys a game of golf.

He plays twice or three times a week, and recently completed eighteen holes in 100—thought to be a world's record for a blind man. His sense of distance is uncanny. He drives a ball well—his longest drive is 220 yards—and putts remarkably well.

"I was taught by a professional," he declares. "On the tee I can see the ball in my mind's eye. I touch it lightly with the club, then swing and drive. In putting I judge distance by sound made on the metal cup."

Bright Spots in News of Industry for Past Week

By the Canadian Press

Windsor, Ont.—Duplate Windsor, Ltd., are erecting $35,000 plant in Walkerville district for the manufacture of safety glass.

Murray Bay, Que.—Donohue Bros. Ltd., will resume operations at their newsprint mill here next week, following a two-year shutdown.

Ottawa.—Returns to Trade Department from employers throughout the Dominion show 9,8,716 on payrolls at April 1 compared with 874,556 at same date last year, an increase of 5 per cent.

Fort Erie, Ont.—Following a shutdown of nearly four years duration, the plant of Irving Air Chute Company is preparing to reopen.

Sarnia, Ont.—More than 15,000 carloads of freight handled in tunnel yards of the C.N.R. last week, a record for recent years.

Quebec mines produced 54,835 ounces of gold in March compared with 34,415 ounces in March, 1935.

KING SAXON IN RACE TRIUMPH

NEW YORK, May 9 (AP).—King Saxon, monarch of the turf's miles last year, and Goldey F. bidding for the right to rule the two-year-old filly division, scored easy victories on Jamaica's closing programme today.

The King carrying the silks of C. H. "Pat" Kiebelkamp raced to his second successive triumph in the one and one-sixteenth miles of the $5,000 Excelsior Handicap. Goldey F., a daughter of Tall Timber which cost Mrs. W. A. Prides only $150 as a yearling, chalked up her eighth straight victory and boosted her earnings to an even $13,000 in accounting for the five furlongs of the Rosedal stake.

Both the King and the little filly scored in the same manner. They went to the front at the start and never were headed, each winning by three lengths. They were also odds-on-favorites, the King paying 11 to 20 in earning the purse of $5,400 and Goldey F. returning 3 to 5 for her triumph, which netted Mrs. Bridges, $3,525.

Chinese Observe Humiliation Day

SHANGHAI, May 9 (AP).—With flags at half mast, business suspended, theatres closed and entertainment abandoned, all China observed National "Humiliation Day." The observance marked the country's acceptance of Japan's "twenty-one demands" of 1915, conceding territorial and economic privileges to the Japanese.

They were walking along North Main Street and paused in the glare of a brightly lighted jewelry store. Unlike her escort, she seemed in no hurry to continue.

"Look," she said, "did you ever see such good-looking engagement rings for such a low price?"

He was the masterful type. Taking her arm firmly, he answered. "Uh-huh. But look over here. Isn't that a swell radio for only $11.95?"

Auction Sale

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This attractive sale includes costly Walnut Dining-Room Set with Cabinet (reproduction of Chippendale 1760), Walnut Dinette Set with fall-leaf table and Windsor chairs, Walnut and Mahogany Bedroom Furnishings, Antique Spanish Mahogany Chest Drawers, Queen Anne Card Table, set of 6 Georgian Chairs, Tip-Up Mahogany Oblong Table, Sheraton Cabinet, Mahogany Commode, Sheraton Mirror, Chesterfield, Colonial Extension Table, Old Brass, Pewter and Copper Pieces, 4 Choice French Tapestry Panels in Watteau subjects, Sterling Silver and Sheffield Plate, collection of 40 China Birds, collection of German and Austrian Helmets, China and Glassware, Real Genuine Leather Handbags, costly Tientsin Rug (12 x 14), Wilton and Self-Color Broad Loom Rugs, Electric Radio (cost $400), pair Skis and Guides, Tennis and Badminton Racquets, Antique Malachite and Russian Jewelry, Indian Hangings and nice lot of Linen at start of sale.

On View Monday, 2 to 5:30 P.M.

Note—Remainder of furnishings at our usual weekly sale on Thursday for which goods are received or sent for up to 10 a.m. Thursday. Phone E 6022.

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SITTING-ROOM—Blue mohair upholstered 3-piece Chesterfield Suite, very fine carved Camphor Wood Chest, Mahogany Bric-a-Brac Stand, Cabinet Gramophone and lot of Records, Mahogany Two-Tier Occasional Table, Mahogany Jardiniere Holder with aspidestra plant, Mahogany Armchair, pretty Standard Lamp with silk shade, carved Teakwood Dragon Lamp, brass rail Fender, set of Irons, very good Paintings and Pictures, Teakwood Table Lamp, Dresden and other Ornaments, hand-painted China, Rugs, Cushions and Curtains, Wall Mirrors, Mantel Clock, very nice English Axminster Carpet, 13.03 x 10.00.

DEN—Small Roll-Top Desk, Philco Console Model Electric Radio, Standard Floor Lamp, set of 6 Oak Chairs, set of 12 pearl-handle Knives and Forks, Platedware, Decanters and Glassware, Mantel Clock, Pictures, Curtains, English Axminster Carpet, 9.07 x 6.00.

DINING-ROOM—Fumed Oak Extension Table with set of 6 leather-seated Chairs to match, nice Armchair and Rocker to match, nice Singing Canary, Hoover Electric Vacuum Cleaner, with parts; complete China Dinner Service, Glassware and Chinaware, Table Linen, Oak Side Table, Axminster Carpet, 9.00 x 12.00.

FOUR BEDROOMS—Pair Simmons Twin Beds (complete), 2 full size Simmons Beds (complete), Simmons Single Bed (complete), Circassian Walnut Chiffonier with Dressing Table and Commode to match, Mahogany Dresser, Oak Dresser and Stand, Mahogany Dressing Table Spreads, Bolsters and other Bedding, English Axminster Rugs, Mahogany Settee, Oak Rockers, Upholstered Chairs, Curtains, Pictures, Tables, Dresser Lamp, Etc., Oak Hall Stand, Rugs, pair Brass Shells, Deer Heads, Curtains, Etc.

KITCHEN AND BASEMENT — Kitchen Table and Chairs, Kitchen Utensils, Dishes, Etc., Camp Spring and Mattress, Crocks, very good Aquarium, lot of Garden Tools, varnished Hose, 2 Wheelbarrows, 12 and 16-foot House Ladders, Stepladders, Garden Bench, Kitchen Comfort, Washing Machine and Wringer, Tubs, Etc.

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Further Particulars Later. Our Morning Sale at 10:30 Will Include 12 Pure-Bred Young Yorkshire Pigs, 400 Day-Old Chicks, Clinker-Built Rowboat, Nash 5-Touring Car (to close an estate).

As Well as Usual Poultry, Vegetables, Canvas, Etc.

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Instructed by the Administrator of the Estate of the late Miss Davey, We Will Sell at the late Residence,
934 Mason Street, on

THURSDAY, 1:30

All the

Furniture and Effects, Small Organ, Four Sectional Bookcases, Etc.

These are very good oak cases and full of books. Full particulars of this sale later.

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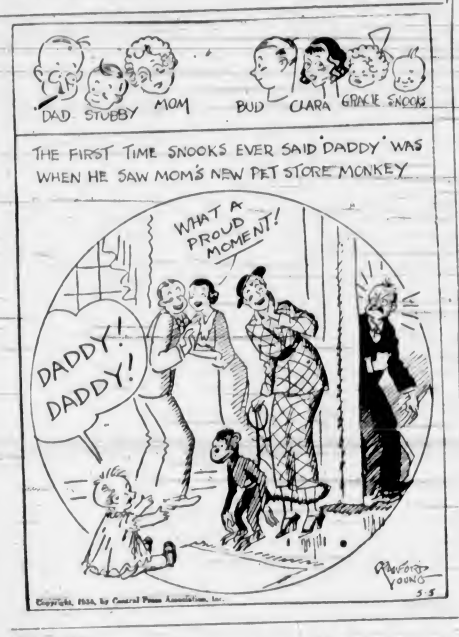
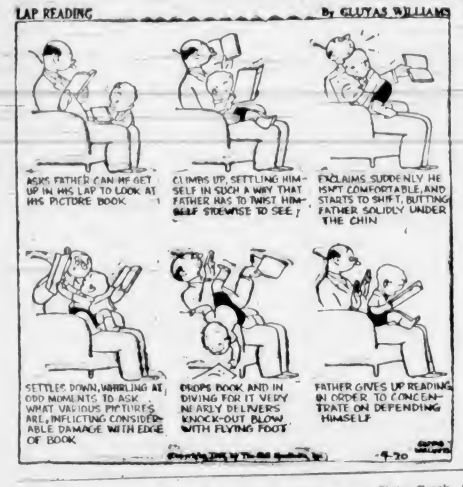


LAP READING By GLUYAS WILLIAMS



APPLE MARY By Martha Orr

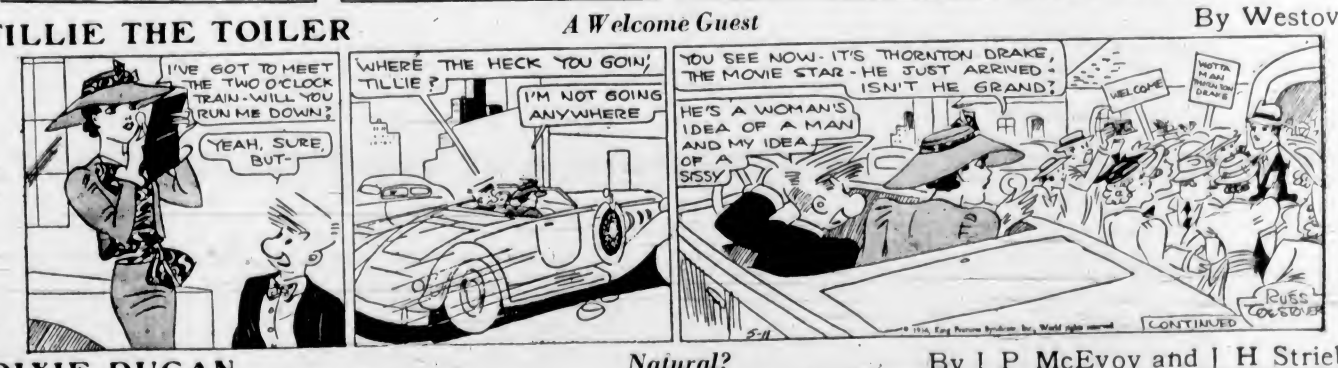
TODDY *Framed!* By George Marcoux

S'MATTER POP *Or Maybe Some Dandruff On It, Pop!* By C. M. Payne

NAPOLEON AND UNCLE ELBY By Clifford McBride

POP *Moths Have a Way of Holing In* By J. Millar Watt

TILLIE THE TOILER *A Welcome Guest* By Westover



DIXIE DUGAN *Natural?* By J. P. McEvoy and J. H. Striebel

To Resume Work At Slate Creek

VANCOUVER, May 9 (CP). — Officials of the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company today announced they were preparing to resume operations on a placer property, acquired some time ago, on Slate Creek, in the Messon Creek mining district Portland Canal.

W. M. Ogilvie is in charge of operations.

"There was only one thing to do, so in the end we all put our heads together and made a raft."—Letter to a paper

A good solid wooden one.

Jane Dixon Says:

TODAY'S LETTER IS FOR NAGGING WIVES, AND IT REQUIRES NO COMMENT, FOR IT SPEAKS FOR ITSELF

Today's lesson is for nagging wives.

"Oh," you may say, "this is not for me. I never nag."

Better ask your husband about that.

Maybe you think you are reasoning with him, advising him, putting him on the right track.

Maybe he has an entirely different idea about your tongue-wagging.

Listen in on this husband's wire and hear what happens to chronic naggers:

Dear Jane Dixon: I married a beautiful young woman and did my best to make her happy.

We raised a fine family, in which are young men and women who are a credit to their profession.

I was a successful producer, made lots of money.

I always deposited money in the bank to my wife's credit so that she did not have to ask me for it when there was something she wanted.

In return, she was jealous, given to pouting, naggy.

She never wanted me to enjoy the company of friends or have them go on little pleasure jaunts with us.

NOT RECOGNIZED AT HOME

Constantly she was correcting me. I never seemed to do anything right. Eventually I became fed up and resented her censorship. I held important positions in offices and was looked upon as a leader among my business and political associates, so I couldn't see how she figured I had only a left foot.

Her nagging increased with the years.

No matter how well I did a thing she found fault with me and with my methods.

Then came the panic. I needed her sympathy and her loyalty. What I got was blame. I was to blame for the change in our finances, for the tightness of money, for everything that happened.

I was heartsick and despondent, and to make matters worse, or perhaps because they were so bad, I became seriously ill. For several months my recovery was a matter of doubt.

During my entire illness she kept and left me alone. She'd bring my meals to the sickroom with a frown on her face, and if I resented this she'd threaten to quit waiting on me altogether.

ENJOYS THE SIMPLE LIFE

Finally I recovered enough strength to earn my living again.

What did I do?

I walked out of our home and out of her life.

I took with me my trunk and one chair which I had used during my convalescence and which had become something of a part of me.

Now I am on the farm with my livestock and with good help.

I have consideration in my home, and I have the respect of my friends and my neighbors.

All in all, I'm really having a happy life for the first time in years, and notwithstanding the fact I'm well into middle-age, I go to dances and am entertained by popular and attractive women. I never attempt to pose as a gay young blade or as a bachelor.

So I am not only satisfied, but delighted, with living.

You may be sure I'll give naggers a wide berth no matter when or where I find them, and I most earnestly advise others to do likewise.—Happy Grass Widower.

Answer: No comment on this letter is necessary. It speaks for itself.

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LIBRARY RULES TO BE CHANGED

Books May Be Borrowed for Only Two Weeks as Result Of Cut in Budget

Owing to a constantly reduced budget over the past six years, and a further cut of $500 in its book appropriation this year, the Victoria Library Board has found it necessary to revise the rules governing the borrowing of books to meet the situation, it was announced yesterday.

Effective on June 1, all fiction books will be loaned only on a fortnightly basis instead of by the month as at present, while new fiction and other books in popular demand will be loaned only on a seven-day basis.

In this way it is hoped to get a more rapid turnover of the books and thus meet the pressure of public demand, which, during the last few years, has created a heavy burden on the library budget, and one that could not be adequately met.

It had been hoped by the Library Board that the City Council would have seen fit to refuse the rather reluctant offer of the library to cut its book appropriations by another $500 but the finance committee accepted the offer so that the loaning of books will have to be limited.

The new rules affect more than 22,000 borrowers and with the Summer vacation season approaching, will undoubtedly work a hardship on campers, who generally require a full month for their books owing to their infrequent visits to the city.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor may be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception. No letter should exceed 500 words in length.

SOCIAL LEGISLATION

Sir,—May I be permitted to thank your correspondent, Mrs. H. Cheriton Hilgate, for her very timely protest in this morning's Colonist against the view that any individual or corporation should be allowed to carry on their business unchecked by governmental interference where the welfare of the people (even working people) are immediately concerned.

The tendency to butt into other people's business is undoubtedly very inconvenient to those who would exploit their fellows to the limit. Every proposal for safeguarding the lives of men employed in the mines, every device against injury to the life and limb of workers in factories from the danger of unprotected machinery; every interference on the part of the State in behalf of the helpless in any department of industrial life from the selfish exploitation of their employers has been met with this same old parrot cry: "Leave us alone. Don't butt in. It is none of your business."

When a bill was before the British House of Commons in 1855 compelling mill employers to rail off the machinery owing to the number of accidents that were daily occurring, it was none other than John Bright, the great Quaker Liberal statesman-industrialist, who fulminated most fiercely against the proposal of sending inspectors around to see that the provisions of the bill were carried out. "Why are we mill owners to be selected as subject to interference? Why is a Scotsman to be sent to see how I work my people? . . . I have advised my partners if this machinery bill passes, to set the example of turning the keys on the doors of our mills, and to throw on the legislators the responsibility of feeding the millions whom they will not allow us to employ at a profit." When giving his testimony before the United States Commission on Industrial Relations, the question was put to that eminent banker millionaire and financial magnate, J. Pierpont Morgan: "Do you consider ten dollars a week enough for a longshoreman with a family to support?" "Why, yes, certainly," replied this American multi-millionaire, "if that is all he can get, and he is willing to take it, I should say it is enough!" And who has any right to butt in on this great man's decision?

The old dogma is still alive and active: "That they shall take who have the power and they shall keep who can"; and that they should be subject to no let or hindrance on the part of the State. As Mrs. Cheriton Hilgate so aptly suggests, what is needed is more not less public interest, more not less social service, more not less disinterested vigilance on the side of the commonweal, and less of "Am I my brother's keeper?" spirit. This is the only saving salt that will preserve our civilization from universal putrefaction.

DAVID GRIEVE TUCKWELL.

1010 Fairfield Road, Victoria, B.C. May 6, 1936.

RUDYARD KIPLING

Sir,—In reference to your report of the lecture given by Miss Jeanette Cann, I beg to take issue with her in her statement that not many people read Kipling nowadays.

As a librarian I might almost say that I am constantly astonished at the number of people who, wearying of the modern novel, demand the works of the Poet of Empire. Men, women and young people ask me for his works, not only his poems but his stories, such as "Captains Courageous" — which is frequently the subject of school literature tests—"Stalky and Co.," as also his short stories. His book entitled "Debits and Credits" is very much in demand and rarely remains on my shelves for more than a few days at a time.

My son, a young man in the twenties, is the owner of everything that Kipling ever published and can quote from all his works. In my humble opinion Rudyard Kipling is as versatile and as well-informed a writer as any man of letters since William Shakespeare. He was never afraid to write the truth, no matter how painful that truth might have been to our national pride. He had something to say, something worth listening to upon most subjects, and to say that he merely exploited the soldier is nothing more or less than a calumny of a very great and wise man.

MABEL APPLEBY.

Kenneth Street, Duncan, B.C., May 7, 1936.

THE SPARTANS

Sir,—Some time ago you cited the Spartans as an example of a people under rigid Socialistic control. But this is not quite accurate. The state called Lacedaemon or Laconia kept its barracks at Sparta, and all the Spartans, men, women and children were on the strength of the brigade. The laws of Lycurgus correspond to the Army Act of Britain. They are not a political constitution, but only part of one. Xenophon says that the Laconian cavalry was badly drilled because the yeomen were slack about training. Evidently the Laconians were absolutely free except as regards foreign policy. In this the Spartan kings were usually at loggerheads with the senate, probably because the kings were not Spartans by race, but Achaeans, like their Laconian subjects.

Without the Laconian farmers, merchants and artisans, who were free men, the Spartans could not have existed under the laws of Lycurgus. Those laws applied to the heavy infantry and their campfollowers in the military organization, and established a war council to control policy, but did not affect the general economic life of the country.

R. P. GUPPY.

Tofino, B.C., May 6, 1936.

PROVINCIAL DRAMA FESTIVAL

Sir,—Would you allow me to thank all those whose splendid co-operative effort resulted in the undoubted success of the Provincial Drama Festival this year.

There are so many whose efficiency and self-sacrificing effort tend to make the festival popular. Some of those who do the major share of the work are hardly seen by the public, while others of us keep pretty steadily in the spotlight. A very heavy load of responsibility and practical work has been carried by our honorary secretary, Mr. H. Roy Goldfinch, who is the untiring stage director, calm, obliging and efficient under the most trying circumstances. Mr. Gray and other helpers also deserve our very grateful thanks.

The general interest in the work of this association is spreading throughout the province and the time has come when the name of the association might well be made more indicative of its function by a slight change to "The British Columbia Drama Association." It would still have as one of its main objectives the sponsoring of the annual Provincial Drama Festival. The British Columbia Drama Association would be a central organization with which all the little theatres, guilds and drama groups throughout the province could affiliate if they so wished. It would provide a means of co-operative, unified effort when such is required in the interests of the province.

L. BULLOCK-WEBSTER.

811 Linklea Avenue, Victoria, B.C. May 6, 1936.

THE PUBLIC LIBRARY

Sir,—Having read in the press of the proposed drastic cut in the library grant, we wish as a body to protest against this action on the part of the City Council. We feel that the cut would cause a great loss to the reading public, owing to the extensive use of the library by citizens who would be unable otherwise to obtain reading material.

Local Graduate Group of the Student Christian Movement, per

(MISS) MARGARET KNOTT

1250 Balmoral Road, Victoria, B.C., May 5, 1936.

F. NAPIER DENISON

Sir,—As a citizen, I wish to convey my own appreciation—and in doing so I am confident I am voicing the views of thousands of others—of the unfailing courtesy of Napier Denison during the years that he has been in charge of the meteorological station at Gonzales Hill.

His kindness and patience in showing the marvels of the station and explaining the methods of determining weather and recording seismic disturbances to visitors brought endless pleasure to many. In this splendid manner he was a decided contributor to the upbuilding of Victoria as a most interesting and delightful tourist resort, as well as adding charm to the city and environs as a place of permanent residence.

Now that Mr. Denison has entered upon his well-earned retirement, it is only fitting that a word of appreciation be voiced of his magnificent qualities of kindliness and unselfishness.

C. C. PEMBERTON.

323 Sayward Building, Victoria, B.C., May 9, 1936.

URSUS KERMODEI

Sir—When Ursus was very young efforts were made to obtain for her a dwelling commensurate with her needs in the future. The present erection in Beacon Hill Park was the outcome. Considering the cost, the outcome seems unsatisfactory, particularly from the viewpoint of the occupant.

In her extreme youth Ursus could climb an attenuated-looking tree; now she paddles round on a cement floor, with nothing nice to nose about in, nothing akin to the natural haunts of a bear. Had she come from the polar regions the outlook would be regarded with disapproval, for polar regions are usually spacious.

Early in this year the case of Ursus received some airing in the local press. The opinions of visitors to Victoria are, at least, worth considering. Several years ago A. S. McNeill, L.R.C.P., L.R.C.S., L.F.P.S.G., prominent in England in animal protection work, commented to me on the case of the bear and other captive animals which he had seen in his journey through Canada. He said that he never recommended his friends to visit any places where he had seen unfortunate prisoners. More recently we had in our midst another prominent authority on animal welfare. I refer to Colonel Wakefield Rainey, C.B.E., M.R.C.V.S., formerly of the British Veterinary Service. He included the bear in a list of animal sufferers when writing in the local press.

Discussing these subjects with Dr. Rainey personally, he felt that a companion would be desirable for Ursus, more space and something more pleasureable than a cement floor. The objection to a companion, even a common brown bear would mean that there would be one more bear in captivity, and he hated to see captive animals. He agreed that they would quarrel for a few days and then get used to each other. While a companion may be out of the question, there is no possible excuse for the cramped and unnatural quarters of our much-advertised white bear. No animal should be kept in captivity unless its surroundings are as nearly as possible akin to nature. An animal must not realize that it is a captive. Bears are very sociable creatures, with a fund of bear-humor. Why not try to realize the individual traits which distinguish animals as surely as they do humans? Bears are not long-lived, but our important captive might have her cage amplified and so enjoy better her declining years. I have suggested this before in letters to the press.

A recent critic of the case of Ursus rightly disapproves unnecessary and unsightly erections in a beautiful, natural park. The money spent might have been used in giving comfort to something that feels and suffers. One shrudders to think of the unfortunate creatures that, in the not very distant past, inhabited cages in one of Victoria's most lovely localities. What has happened before can happen again.

DORA KITTO.

315 Sayward Building, Victoria, B.C., May 8, 1936.

French Election Propaganda Posters

The Most Decisive General Election Ever Held in France Since the Great War Will Take Place on Sunday. Our Photograph Shows Members of the National Republican Party Packing Election Propaganda Posters at Their Headquarters in Paris.

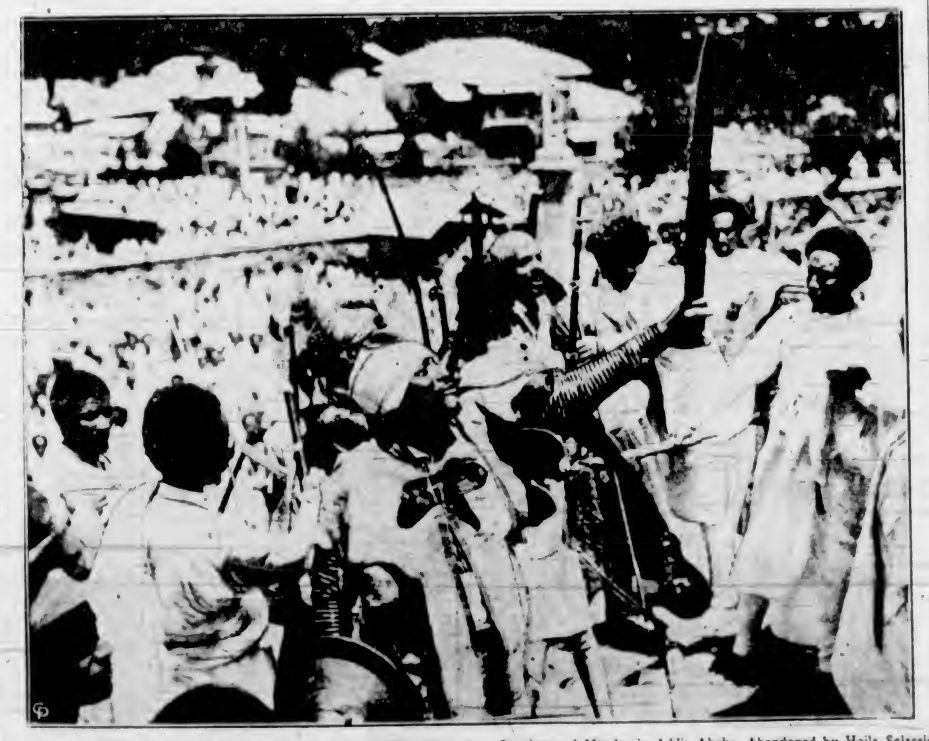
Schooner Makes Haul of Mackerel

BOSTON, May 9.—(AP)—The fishing schooner Jackie B., Captain Stephen Post, came into the fish pier yesterday after one of the shortest and most profitable trips in port records. In a single haul, her crew gathered in 65,000 pounds of mackerel, enough to fill her holds to capacity, Captain Post said.

Pessimist: Cheerful! How can I be cheerful when every bone in my body aches?

Optimist: Well, you might at least be thankful that you are not a herring.

Pledged to Defend but Turned to Looting



Ethiopian Tribesmen, Beaten by the Crack Troops of Italy, Have Turned to Looting and Murder in Addis Ababa, Abandoned by Haile Selassie and His Guard. This Picture Was Made When the Natives Pledged Their Lives in Defence of the Ethiopian Capital, But Have Since Changed Their Minds, and Spread Havoc and Destruction Before Escaping With Their Loot to the Hills When the Italians Entered the Scene.

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Tides at Victoria

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The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of low water.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt drydock, add 18.9 feet to the height of high water as above given.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Songhees drydock add 30 feet to the height of high water as above given.

PREPARING TO BUILD BREWERY

Under a building permit issued at Esquimalt Municipal Hall, a new brewery is planned. Councillor T. Harry Hodgson has taken out the permit for the reconstruction of the old Gowen Brewery on Head Street for the purposes of installing therein an up-to-date brewery.

The permit is for $18,000, which it is explained by Mr. Hodgson will be absorbed in the placing of the building in shape to house the necessary machinery and equipment for the manufacture of beer and allied products.

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Springtime

Born to Conquer

By Ernest Haycox

PETER Skene was standing at the runway of the stockyards in Sacramento when a new batch of steers came through, bigger and heavier than anything he'd ever seen before. Beef was his life, beef and horse flesh, and he had to know about those cattle. He didn't have to ask, for the gate tender saw the sharpness of his interest and said, "This stuff came from Oregon."

Next day when he got back to the ranch he went directly to old Henry Marr, whose foreman he was. Henry Marr sat on his front porch because his worn-out legs would let him do little else; there was an understanding between them that one day it would be Peter Skene's place. Nothing had even been said about it, for neither man was a talker. Yet they both knew perfectly how it was to be.

It was a hard thing for Peter Skene to say. All that he now was he could thank Henry Marr for, who had taken him as an orphan boy of seven and had raised him in the way he would have raised the son he never had. Yet the memory of those wild, bulky steers in the Sacramento yards wouldn't let him alone. And so he stood there in the hot golden afternoon light, looking up to Marr on the porch and seeing Marr's daughter come to the house doorway and stand very quietly there.

He said, "I'm going up to Oregon, Henry."

Taciturnity covered Marr's face, as it always did. He might have said a good deal, but it wasn't his way, and he knew it wasn't Peter Skene's way to listen. There was something hard and impetuous and self-willed in Peter Skene that, at twenty, had made him foreman over riders twice his age. He was small and light, and many of those riders could have broken him with their hands had they wished to counter the temper suggesting itself always in his brilliant black eyes. They never had.

To think a thing was to do it. That was Peter Skene's way even then, as it was to be his way through the length of his life. So the next morning five hundred cows and six of Marr's vaqueros were on the way north, with Peter Skene tarrying behind to say good-bye. Henry Marr shook his hand and drawled, "Good luck," and the sense of regret and loss stirred powerfully between them. Afterward Marr went into the house, leaving his daughter alone with Peter Skene.

There was a silence in this girl covering more than Peter Skene knew then, or ever did know. And there was a silence in him that, as long as he had been on this ranch, made him still a stranger to her. They were to have been married in the Fall, but there was no talk of this now. Peter Skene held his hat carefully in his hand.

"When I get settled up there—I'll write."

She said, "I'll wait to hear from you."

"It may be a year. Might even be two years."

"I can wait two years, Pete."

That was all there was to be said between this man so filled with his thoughts and this girl who had no way of giving voice to hers. He bowed to Helen Marr and climbed to his saddle and rode away.

IN August, having traveled eight hundred miles over a country he had never seen before, toward some destination he could not foretell, he came around the base of a long, low mountain and arrived at the edge of a rim dropping three hundred feet to the floor of a valley footed along the mountain's base. There was a river flowing down the flats of the valley in lazy loops, flowing on as far as his eye could reach, melting away into the heat haze of a hot day. And standing there on the rim, seeing the valley so long and narrow and self-contained, seeing the lazy river nourish its bottoms, seeing the miles of graze reach back up into the hill slopes, Peter Skene knew he had at last reached the land he sought.

In him were two compulsions he could never escape. An impatience to be a-doing. A patience that could permit him to look on through the years and see what there was for him to achieve. It was the impatience that set him off the next morning down the length of the Bitter Valley, all along its narrow way for the matter of two days' riding until finally he stood at a spot where the mouth of the valley widened out before a mile-wide lake overclouded by the wheeling hordes of wildfowl. Beyond the lake the flat plain of South Central Oregon ran on and on. It was impatience that took him on this trip but when he returned up the valley it was patience that whispered to him what he could do, what he would do. He knew his destiny then more surely than any man ever knew it.

That Fall he had his first log houses raised and his first corrals built, thus establishing his right. For it was a new land without title or the need of title, the squatter possessing what he squatted on. Far up beyond the lake, Andy McKee had laid his claim to Silver Rivet. Over west in the direction of Wagontire Bill Turlock was establishing the XX. In the east, beyond the Bitter Mountains, Ed Overton and a few others were spreading out their herds. Elsewhere the land was open and free to the small settlers creeping in. There was enough for all.

It was the following Spring that Egan took his Piutes on the War trail. Sweeping up out of Nevada with a thousand warriors, women and children, Egan struck the base of Bitter Mountains and cut his swath around it, burning and killing and stealing as he came. Peter Skene saw them coming and fought them from his log houses. When they had passed by he had saved his houses and nothing else. All his horses and all his cattle were gone. For a hundred miles the country was bare, and every other settler and cattleman had retreated to the shelter of Fort Harney, eighty miles away.

FOR Peter Skene it was life or death. There was for him, with his ambitions, no other way. And so, with his six vaqueros he took Egan's trail, not to fight, but to get his cattle back. All that Spring he scoured the country, never hesitated to kill when he found isolated warriors, never hesitating to take the cattle he found and the horses he found. When he was finished with them he had his cattle again—and more horses than he originally had owned. Up north Egan was killed and the Piutes came straggling back, defeated and sullen, and dangerous to lonely settlers. The two families at the lower end of the Bitter River moved out; other settlers moved out, and some of the newly-established ranchers lost their courage. Whenever they left, Peter Skene was there to buy what they wished to sell. Along the slopes of the Bitter Mountains and along the winding course of the Bitter River, his herds began to spread under the amber desert sunshine. At the end of his third year he made his first drive to the nearest shipping point, at Winnemucca, three hundred miles away.

He was twenty-three then—a man established, already one of the big figures of the country. At roundup time beyond the lakes he sat with Andy McKee and Bill Turlock and Ed Overton, and between them they made the law. There was a thousand miles of space around them and some of the little outfits were coming back, and a town was breaking the dust near Fort Harney. But they made the law. He thought of that and was proud, and then it occurred to him he had made his settlement and that three years had run by since he had written to Henry Marr's daughter.

That day he wrote the letter, and sent one of his vaqueros all the way to Fort Harney to get it on the stage mail. And that day, too, he stumbled upon something that was to change the course of his life. Riding out into the upper defiles of the Bitter Mountains he came upon the lone tracks of a cow, and followed it and presently tipped over into a little meadow where an old trapper named Nick LeStang and his Piute squaw holed up. The beef was there, slaughtered and strung to a tree. LeStang saw him come, and walked into the yard, quietly sucking at his pipe. The squaw went back into the cabin, but a dark boy, no more than nine, came to stand at LeStang's side and to let his round half-breed eyes pour distrust on Peter Skene.

Skene said, "Eatin' beef now, Nick?"

LeStang said, "Your beef. I was in this country before you came to claim it. Skene. You can consider that steer in the light of rent money for the use of my land."

Skene always rode with a gun and he could have killed LeStang then. Often in later times, he wondered why he had not, for this was rustling and toward rustlers Skene practiced a terrible and condign retribution. But it was the way LeStang faced him, so cool and so blunt and so nervy. Skene had to admire that, he could not help himself. He said, "All right, Nick. As long as you've got to eat, it's there for you. But never let it be more than eatin'."

HE had, a few months later, his answer from Helen Marr. She said, "I waited two years, as you asked. I'm sorry."

He was to think of that often. He had lost her by a year. Time had done that to him. It was a thing that was to make him bitter against time.

But he was a man, with a need that had to be satisfied. He knew no other way to explain it to himself. And shortly thereafter he hitched up his fastest team of horses to a rig and drove seventy miles out to the new town of Prairie growing up near the fort. There was a saloon and a blacksmith shop and a store, and the storekeeper had two daughters. Peter Skene had seen them once, no more. When he reached Prairie he found one of those daughters tending store for her father, who slept dead drunk in the adjoining saloon. He returned to the Bitter River ranch two days later with his new wife.

It was like that with him—the brusque and impatient consummation of a thing that had to be done. Women were scarce in the country, and he thought himself lucky to get her, but in his own realistic mind he knew why she had made the bargain. He was Peter Skene, of the Bitter. It was the way he looked at it, hard-minded and unsentimental, but fair enough to respect her part of the bargain.

Yet there was a strangeness about her that sometimes made him stop to think and there was a part of her he never did understand. She was afraid of him—for that first night she stood at the bedroom door and watched him with her knees trembling beneath her nightgown, and her eyes so wide that he had no recourse but to leave the house entirely and sleep in the crew's quarters. It was the last time she ever let him see that fear, but the memory of it was always there.

She was luck for him. He was on a rising tide now, flush with the power of his ambition. Whatever he touched seemed to make money, and others knew it and came to him. New settlers, out of money and out of food, came. He gave them food, but never any encouragement, for his grip on the Bitter Valley was a surer thing and he wanted no neighbors in it. He had partitioned the country with McKee and Bill Turlock and Ed Overton, and this was his piece of it. To be bought, or to be claimed, or to be seized. It didn't matter how, but always to be held.

More houses went up along the river to shelter those who came to work for him. His men went away and came back with their new wives, and in a little time youngsters were crawling underfoot, playing with his own boy, who learned to walk late—and never learned to hold his own.

He wanted a riding son—another Skene to stand at the edge of the rim and see the Bitter as he saw it and to feel that same hungry ambition.

HE knew, presently, that this was not to be. One grey, windy evening he stood in the Glen yard and watched his son fighting with the foreman's boy. He stood there, his black eyes glittering a little, trying to throw his own fiery, fighting instincts across the yard. But he could not, and young Pete put his arms across his face to stop the other boy's blows and sat down in the dust, crying in a strangling way.

Peter Skene went over to the milk barn and found his wife with the cows. Skene said:

"What's the matter with Pete?"

He wasn't able to know what her thoughts were. She looked up from the milk pail, composed and strange-eyed, and beyond the point of asking anything of him. She said, "He's had asthma for the last year."

"Didn't know it."

She said quietly, "You've been busy with other things."

To think was to act. He knew no other way. That night he sent a man to Fort Harney for a doctor. Four days later the doctor came down and had his look at the boy. "Nothing," he said afterward. "I can do for your son. It's the dust or the hay—or some kind of weed around here. There's no cure."

Peter Skene hated the doctor for that fatalism. It was something he could not brook. He said, "No cure?"

"Maybe one thing would cure him," said the doctor. "To move out of this country to a different climate."

After the doctor had gone Peter Skene saw his wife sitting there in the front room with the boy on her lap, rocking him, his little arms were around her neck, and he knew he had no son then. He had nothing to say. The next morning he was on the road, traveling down the Bitter in his light rig wagon driven by a pair of fast grey mares.

It was this way with him always. Energy drove him and the needs of the ranch filled his head. The day of his return his wife packed her luggage.

She was calm about it, calm and beyond argument. "I'm taking Pete to Portland. He's got to have the change."

She had been a good wife and a loyal one. When she was ready to leave, packed in a wagon with a Glen driver, he stood a moment by the rig and carefully searched himself for something he wanted to say. But as on the first day he had met this woman, he could only be casual. "Portland will probably do him good. Stay long enough to find out. Write me your address and I'll see that you are kept in money. Tell me when you get ready to come back." He shook the boy's hand and said, "Be good, son," and waited for a smile that never came. His wife looked down at him and he thought her eyes were gentler than they had been. It reminded him of something unseen brushing past, just outside his grasp. But it was soon gone. He stood in the yard and watched them drive away.

He thought about that scene—the shape of it clear and strange before him—when she wrote back to give him her address. In their years together he had taught her to be laconic, and now, because of that teaching, she had nothing to tell him. He considered that for a little while, and walked around the house, its emptiness touching him in a faint way. When he answered the letter a month later it was only to say that Winter had come to the Bitter and that she would find money placed in the Portland First National at her disposal. He hoped the boy was better.

AND then he put the matter temporarily out of his mind, for Winter struck the desert wickedly that year, sweeping it with a destroying wind and burying it in snow. During the three months that followed he could remember no time when he had as much as six hours' sleep. He was in truth fighting for his life—with the blizzards threatening to wipe him out of existence.

In the middle of it, Nick LeStang died and Pete Skene went up to the old-timer's hill cabin to conduct the funeral services. LeStang's squaw was getting old. And LeStang's boy had become a man at nineteen, to remind Pete Skene that eleven years had gone by since his first entry into Oregon. Over LeStang's grave he remembered that, and for a moment the horizons of his mind opened up and he saw himself as a youngster riding away from Henry Marr's ranch, and remembered Helen Marr standing in the sunlight, saying good-bye to him. It was only a brief flash, soon gone. He stood by LeStang's grave and recited David's Psalm, and watched his vaqueros cover LeStang up. Afteward he spoke to LeStang's boy, feeling an obligation toward him as he had felt toward the elder LeStang.

"Billy," he said, "there's a place for you down on the ranch. I'll be expectin' you."

Bill LeStang looked at him out of dark, smoldering half-breed eyes. "I don't want your damned job, or your damned charity," he said and turned away.

That Winter Peter Skene butchered many cows to support the little settlers who hovered along the rim overlooking his valley. In a way he was a lord of the district, he could let no man starve.

When Spring came most of them were too disheartened to stick. He bought their little chattels and their few cows and was glad to see them go. He had come through the Winter with small loss, while all around him men were ruined. He bought out Overton's stock, and began a long swing that carried him through the Malheur country and far up into the north, toward the John Day.

In after years he was to remember that time as another one of the turning points of his life. He stripped himself of money but he was Peter Skene, whose credit was good, whose luck had always held. It was his audacity that carried him on when other men had no courage.

That Spring he wrote to his wife, suddenly remembering he had not heard from her. The weather was mild, and when was she returning? He had his answer a month later. The boy had improved, but she was afraid that it was too early to think of coming back. She had started him to school and he was doing well. Peter Skene wrote back that he was glad to hear the boy did well.

THIS was the last letter he ever wrote to her, nor did he ever get another from her. That Summer the First National informed him she was no longer drawing on the account he had established for her. When he got the news he went to his desk and read the little pile of letters he had saved, and afterward saddled his horse and took a ride into the hills. It was late Fall before he went to Portland. She wasn't at any address she had ever given him. At the bank he found a small package from her containing her wedding ring and a little silver drinking cup he recalled having given the boy on the latter's second birthday. There was no explanation. He never heard from them again.

These were the years that silence came on him and pride stiffened him. Grey came into the coal-black surface of his hair, and the line of his mouth was set past changing. And five years from the time he lost trace of his wife and boy he climbed the rim of the Bitter to stand off the point from which he first had seen this valley, and told himself his ambition was achieved. From the beginning of the valley to the lake sixty miles north, from this rim to the crest of the Bitter Mountains—this was his ranch, completed and held.

But the country was changing, and the great days of open range and lordly partition were going by. Title trouble was developing and settlers were coming in to make dry land farms, and resentment was rising against the great owners and the cattle rustler was having his turn. And the dry cycle came on, burning the graze and shallowing the lakes and streams.

Against these things Peter Skene fought with all his resources and all his unchangeable will. Long ago he had known the dry spell would come and had dug his irrigation canals against it. As for the rustlers, he dealt with them as he had dealt with the Piutes, impelled by the same merciless need for survival.

But the settlers kept coming on. The day of the great outfit thus slowly faded before the dawn of the small man's day. Of this Peter Skene was dimly, stubbornly aware.

He rode down the valley one Fall day and came upon the lake, whose borders had receded a good half mile. In that new strip of dry land he saw a little pine shack. He went toward it instantly, because he could not help himself. Nick LeStang's son stood in the doorway, watching him out of black, surly eyes.

"Billy," said Pete Skene, "there's always a job for you in the Glen. But you're squattin' on my land."

Bill LeStang said carefully, "Your land ends where the border of the lake used to be. This strip is lake bed—and open to entry."

"No, Billy," said Pete Skene. "My right goes out to the middle of the lake. It always has."

"Listen," said Bill LeStang. "My old man lived off you like a pauper. But I don't. I'll stick here."

When Peter Skene returned to the Glen he sent a crew back to the lake with a load of wire. "Run the fence out to the water."

THEY did that. But the next time one of his riders passed the lake the fence was cut. The rider came back to tell Peter Skene and old Diego, his foreman, said, "We'll go down there. He's a kid and he ain't learned much."

"No," said Peter Skene.

It wasn't like him. Diego, who had been a Skene man for all those years, looked at him, not understanding. But Peter Skene was remembering all the way back to that time when he had known Bill LeStang as a little boy. He was the son of a man who had been a Glen pioneer, and there was that sense of duty in Peter Skene that wouldn't go down.

Completely alone, Peter Skene walked back into his own house, and stood in the front room a little while as though he were listening for an expected voice to come down the hall. There was a mark cut in the edge of the fireplace, which he remembered as being the height of his own boy at four years. He had backed young Pete up to the wall and had made that mark with his knife. But the boy hadn't understood his purpose and had cried until his mother came out of the kitchen. It was a strange thing the way a man's mind backtracked to earlier times. He didn't like it and didn't believe in it. Yet his thoughts were all clear, and of the past. And when he thought of Helen Marr, whom he had known so long ago, and of his wife and boy sitting in the wagon that took them away forever from the Glen, there was a queer feeling in him—as though something brushed past him, just beyond his reach.

At first light next morning he got on his horse and headed down the valley. Late in the day he came to the lake and Billy LeStang's house. Billy had cut the fences, and Billy stood across from the gap, watching him ride up.

Peter Skene got down from his horse and walked forward.

LeStang said, "Don't cross that wire."

Peter Skene stared, a whip-figured man who never had known fear of another man. He said, "Billy, you said the wrong thing," and walked forward deliberately across the wire.

He hadn't noticed a gun on Bill LeStang. But the younger man reached inside his coat and whipped out a revolver. He raised it carefully and aimed it at Peter Skene's chest, and fired once.

Skene fell slowly, his arms reaching forward to break his fall. There was one black and desperate thought in him as he died—one thought that shoved its way through the whole history of his life to speak for him at this last interval: "What will become of the Glen?" And then he was dead, and an era had closed.

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LeStang Said, "Don't Cross That Wire." Peter Skene Stared, a Man Who Never Had Known Fear of Another Man. He Walked Forward

Paris May Be Evacuated In Event of Another War

PARIS may be a deserted city when the next war comes, and the French capital is the target for high-speed bombing airplanes.

Remilitarization of the Rhineland has added to fears for the safety of the capital, and experts who have been examining plans for the protection of the population apparently think the only thing to do is to evacuate Paris.

The Prefecture of Police came to this conclusion some time ago, but nevertheless, the work of surveying possible shelters—cellars, the underground railways and the catacombs—and having others constructed went on.

Manufacture of gas masks has been standardized, and unscrupulous manufacturers cannot now delude the public by offering worthless examples which could not withstand gas. Masks can be sold now only if they are approved by the Government.

Providing Shelter

TO provide sufficient shelter for all the 3,000,000 inhabitants is impossible, and even those already scheduled are of doubtful value against the newest types of explosive gas and incendiary bombs.

The second possible protection, that of the anti-air defence service, is also giving disquiet to those responsible for the safety of the population. However efficient anti-aircraft guns and defending airplanes may be, some enemy airplanes could certainly remain over Paris long enough to shower it with bombs before being driven away. With Paris only an hour away from the taking-off point, it would be difficult for intercepting fighters to climb high enough to head off enemy airplanes crossing the frontier at their ceiling before they reach Paris.

There remains evacuation, and this is now being examined. Certain road projects, ostensibly designed to relieve traffic, have been undertaken on the advice of military officials with a view of their use in evacuation.

The great circular road round Paris, linking the arterial highways from the city, is part of the plan. Military considerations have inspired the western road starting from St. Cloud.

Leaving a City

PLANS for evacuating the city include listing those inhabitants who have relatives and friends who can shelter them in country districts, and then providing temporary habitations for the others. There would be arbitrary routes indicated for those leaving the city.

As there is every reason to believe that Paris would be the first objective of enemy bombers on the outbreak of war, it is envisaged that all the population whose presence is not essential would be removed.

The city would then become a city of war workers, virtually part of the front. Heavy industries have concentrated around Paris and more harm could be done by attacking the factories which supply the armies than by raiding other parts of France.

Nearly all France's land airplanes are made in the Paris region. So are almost all the motor cars. The railway workshops are also largely in Paris. There are huge electrical works, foundries and steel works. Even small naval construction goes on along the Seine.

A move for the decentralization of essential industries was begun some time ago, but except for actual munitions factories, has made little progress.

Graduate Bachelor Tax

THE new Italian tax on bachelors is graded so that those between the ages of thirty and thirty-five pay most. Between twenty-five and thirty the penalty for single blessedness is slightly less, while the bachelor of thirty-five to fifty-five pays still less and the over-sixty-fives nothing at all. A tax of 150 lire (about $12) was at first levied on bachelors over twenty-five, then came an increase of 25 per cent on their income tax, which was subsequently raised to 50 per cent and lately to 75 per cent. No Government official can remain a bachelor. Even the Duce's late personal secretary, Commander Chiavolini, had to resign his post a year ago because he refused to marry.

Huge Airdrome Planned

THE new airdrome for civilian air traffic at Berlin is to be the biggest in the world, for Hitler says the time is not far distant when nobody will travel distances exceeding 500 miles except by air. The airdrome will be oval-shaped, with a landing place one and one-half miles by nearly one mile. Planes will start and finish in a long, covered structure, and the technical ancillary appliances will enable any type of machine to start with ease and safety in fog or any weather and by night or day.

Fifteen large hangars, each holding eight airplanes of the Ju 52 type, will be built next to the landing ground and many more smaller machines will be able to find accommodation. The architect is Dr. Sagebiel, who planned the great Air Force Ministry in the Wilhelmstrasse and the new drome is expected to be completed within three years.

World's Smallest Jail

MUCH interest has been aroused in Rome by the completion of the new Vatican jail, the smallest in the world, with its two cells and luxuriously-appointed shower bath, library and exercise ground. Few people know that another distinction attributed to Vatican City is that its postoffice is said to be the most profitable in the world. No official figures are published, but it is stated on good authority that last year's profits beat all records and that the postoffice is now one of the most important sources of the Vatican's revenue. Philatelists all over the world buy an enormous amount of stamps that are never used, some limited issues being extremely rare.

Gas Mask as Premium

A CIGARETTE card competition with gas masks as prizes has been inaugurated in Italy by the National Union for Air Raid Protection. In most better grades of Italian cigarette packets are inserted cards bearing air raid instructions and advice for protection against poison gas. It is now announced that prizes of gas masks will be given to the 500 smokers who submit the greatest number of these cards to the National Union for Air Raid Protection before the end of June.

Earth's Green Banner Shakes

By Robert Connell

IN older countries like the British Isles the forests and woods share in the general tidiness characteristic of long civilization. Not only are there paths for the pedestrian, but the litter of the forest has been removed as faggots for cottage hearths for so long, and the supervision of cutting has been so thorough, that there is easy access to all parts of a woodland. Such at least are my recollections of British woods, and I find it confirmed by pictures of the trees in Epping and new forests, and by such a hint as that given in Chapter XX of Hardy's "The Woodlanders," where the village girls "began to march forward in a skirmishing line through the trees." Or in the account of Grace Melbury's walk through the woods in Chapter XL: "The leaves overhead were now in their latter green—so opaque, that it was darker at some of the densest spots than in Winter time. . . . She went on as silently as she could, avoiding the hollows wherein leaves had accumulated, and stepping upon soundless moss and grass tufts." The saying about Warwickshire that a squirrel might leap from tree to tree for nearly the whole length of the county shows the extent of its forest, that "boundless contiguity of shade" Cowper speaks of, but the robbers who in mediaeval times were the terror of merchants' traveling parties hid less in the thickets than behind the great trunks and spreading branches of oak, beech, chestnut, walnut and elm.

But in our new forests, wild as so many things of Nature are for our taming, we have no feeling such as Gray speaks of in writing to a friend of the beeches of "Burnham," like most ancient people, dreaming out their old stories to the winds:

"And as they bow their hoary tops relate
In murmuring sounds the dark decrees of fate,
While visions, as poetic eyes avow,
Cling to each leaf and swarm on every bough."

The prostrate trees, the vast waste of windfalls, the well-nigh impassable thickets of young timber, each individual engaged in a struggle for the air and light that spell existence, the tangled undergrowth in the more open parts with liana-like stems and armory of thorns; these make in so much of our forest the way of the traveler hard. In the logged-off areas these conditions are multiplied. It is only on the drier soils like those of Colwood and Langford, or the well-drained slopes of parts of the Malahat, or over the dark and sombre forest floor of the hemlock forests, that woodland walks become wholly delightful.

Sense of Adventure

BUT the very difficulties of our woods give their passage a certain sense of adventure, and the city dweller escaping for a few hours from the monotony of street and shop and office can in a small but none the less real way identify himself imaginatively with the pioneers who blazed their way through the primeval forest, and whose axe marks may still be recognized with good fortune as scars on the more ancient trees.

One of the pleasantest parts of the forest is that which lies in the profounder valleys of our streams. One of these I ascended a short distance the other day. Tugwell Creek I have referred to recently as the nearest of three small rivers that enter the sea beyond Sooke. Above the road it runs in the level bottom of a steep-sided valley. The west side of this bottom is comparatively open, and here holiday makers make their temporary camps, and the men and boys fish for trout. I took the opposite side to avoid crossing the river, which at this season is tolerably high. A rude path winds in and out among the shrubbery and even takes the river bed. It runs past a deserted cabin, and then winds more or less distinctly, chiefly the latter, among great tufts of sword fern and mossy banks, where the snowy white trilliums (Trillium Ovatum) grow in luxuriance begotten of abundant moisture and silty soil. The leaves of the "wild lily of the valley" or May lily (Maianthemum Bifolium) are up and give promise of the white sweet-scented spike-like flower clusters of Summer. Less common is the twisted-stalk (Streptopus Amplexifolius), another member of the lily family, whose dainty flowers are apt to be overlooked, though its red fruit may in due course attract attention. The bright yellow flowers of the smooth violet (Viola Glabella) are out along the trail, and the coarse leaves of the false hellebore (Veratrum Viride), with their prominent ribs, have escaped from their confinement and are preparing to build up the great plant five or six feet high, which at midsummer will bear its greenish yellow flowers. Detached from its natural surroundings it has no special beauty or grace to recommend it, but in the woods by the stream side it is certainly a striking and handsome "lily." A plant with large leaves like those of some gigantic buttercup is one which at the time of flowering at the end of June is a very characteristic inhabitant of these river courses. It is Trautvetteria Grandis, commonly known as the false bugbane. In spite of its somewhat forbidding botanical name and its decidedly forbidding popular one, it is an extremely beautiful plant in flower. The numerous blossoms are in large flattish clusters, and each flower, while it has no petals, has four pure white sepals. The effect is very fine and, in addition, the flowers have a delightful scent.

Along the Pathway

THE shrubs along the path include the ever-present salmonberry and the common wild gooseberry (Ribes Divaricatum). As one's sense of smell witnesses in brushing against it, the blue currant (Ribes Bracteosum) flourishes, one of the two wild black currants found along this part of the Island. The leaves have on the under side little dot-like receptacles of resin which account for the strong smell the shrub emits. Later on similar resin spots appear on the fruit. The stems are tough and wiry, and along streams they are generally bent over and entangled in a way that retards progress through the thickets they often form. Something of the same kind connects itself with the young alders that spring up on the gravel bars built up by the river when in flood. They are bent over by the force of the current and, while not entangled with each other, as a rule they make by the rude parallelism of their inclination a very effective restraint on speedy advance.

The valley bottom is the home of the large-leaved maple, one of the most widely dispersed and characteristic trees of the Pacific Slope, found all the way from Alaska to Southern California. It is a lover of moist hollows and stream beds, but is seen at its finest and best in such places as the head of Cowichan Bay, Goldstream Flats, or wherever there is good loam and plenty of room to expand when it grows into a symmetrical tree with great girth and a noble spread of branches. In more crowded situations, whether in competition with others of its kind or jostled by conifers, it grows tall and crooked, but whatever its trunk's form may be it always displays proudly its beautiful foliage. In blossom time the pendulous elongated flower clusters beneath the later opening but swift-growing leaves with their characteristic droop almost at right angles to the already developed stem make a charming picture, especially when they are haunted by bees, for the maple is a notable honey plant. This mobility of the leaves is of great importance when the tree has to face the heat and drought of Summer. It will be noticed that on hot Summer days the great leaves droop very noticeably, and this habit helps to restrain the transpiration of water from the minute openings on the under surface.

In the Moist Woods

IN the moist woods like these of Tugwell Creek the rough bark of the maple becomes the home of many plants such as licorice ferns and mosses, so that we have in our northern woods an equivalent of the epiphytes of more southern moist forests. Tropical epiphytes are flowering plants that establish themselves on the trunks and branches of trees, and this is exactly what the ferns, mosses and liverworts of the maple do. Naturally they prefer horizontal branches or the junction of branches and trunk, but as the trunks themselves in the woods are often crooked and distorted they are largely covered with these "on-dwellers," who are to be distinguished from parasites. The latter are "in-dwellers," since their plant-bodies insert themselves in the living tissues of the host, and thus draw all or part of their nourishment from it. The epiphytes, on the other hand, work for themselves and attach themselves only to the surface of their host, or to the waste and soil collected in the hollows of its branching system, or corrugations of its bark. I may add that these epyphitic growths of ferns, moss and liverworts add greatly to the charm of the woods, for the two latter are not confined to maples, but are found also on alders and conifers.

The conifers of the Tugwell Valley are chiefly cedar, hemlock and spruce, with some Douglas fir. At one place I passed a huge spruce fallen across the river with a number of maples, some of which had been brought down by it in its disaster. In the centre of the spruce where I clambered over it the diameter was at least four feet. So difficult was it to detect tapering that it looked like a fallen temple pillar. It was noticeable that while the great spruce was dead, the fallen maples were sending up vigorous young stems.

It is in these moist, shady and half deciduous woods that the sword fern attains its greatest size. As yet, of course, the old fronds still retain their place, the young ones thrusting their silky crooks up from below. Where a sword fern has been cleared of its fronds by fire (which happily has not occurred here) it will be seen that these large ones are not unlike the tree ferns of New Zealand. The rootstock rises above the ground and the successive growths of fronds make a symmetrical spiral pattern which strongly resembles that of the stigmaria or fossil roots of the sigillaria of the carboniferous coal beds.

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An Unusual View of a Portion of Sproat Lake in an Entirely New Setting of Giant Fir Trees That Grow Close to the Water's Edge. Sproat Lake Is Not Far From Victoria and Is One of the Most Popular Summer Vacation Centres on Vancouver Island.

Left by Rivers

THE current of the river in flood has left behind it numerous bars of coarse, bouldery material which are occupied by thickets of alder. The boulders are largely of glacial origin, left behind after the finer material of the drift has been washed away, but there is a considerable proportion of local rock, including sandstone derived from the cliffs, which higher up the river are exposed at the very base to its erosive action. It is not to this, however, that their presence on the bars is due, but rather to the breaking away of blocks by aerial weathering, the combined action of frost and rain operating on fractures. On splitting some of these boulders of sandstone open I found numbers of obscure plant remains represented by thin deposits of carbon, and from one I obtained a small piece of fossil wood showing a very coarse grain and probably belonging to the species of spruce whose fossil cones have been discovered at Sooke. There is a good deal of food for the imagination in the presence of this wood of millions of years ago shut up in its stony bed beneath the living spruces of the valley today. The evolution of plants has not kept the same pace as that of animals and the fossil spruces of Oligocene-Miocene age differing little from those of today, were the contemporaries of such animals on this continent as the three-toed horse, the giant pigs six feet and more in height, dogs as large as bears, sabre-tooth tigers, giraffe-like camels, long-chinned elephants and twin-horned, hairy rhinoceroses, to say nothing of marine mammals like the primitive whales and sirenians whose remains lie buried in the sandstones of Shirley. So far as plants are concerned, so little change has taken place that one might in this modern environment meet a Miocene pig or elephant without scientific surprise or at least sense of incongruity, though I am afraid one's natural surprise would approach plain fright.

Interesting Plants

ONE or two interesting plants grow on these gravel and boulder bars, insecure as their footing would seem to be, but they are seen at their best along the banks just above the actual bed of the stream. Such is the delightful Boykinia Occidentalis, unpossessed of any popular name and indeed very little known. Its roundish, sharply incised leaves with their shining dark green are easily identified when once known, and the flowers in their open inflorescence are very distinctive. In color white, and in sunny places often decidedly pinkish, they are richly scented, so much so as to perfume the surrounding air. The scent is quite an unusual one, not possessed by any other flower I know of. Perhaps the nearest approach to a description of it is to say that it is wine-like, though that seems delightfully vague. It is common all up these streams, but nowhere have I seen it in such profusion as along some of the open flumes of the Goldstream waterworks. Jordan River valley, along the little narrow railway, is another place where to both eye and nose it appears to advantage on a hot Summer's day, for the sea fogs keep the air moist and the ground water is near the surface along the sides of the track. Boykinia is a member of the Saxifrage family and does well in the garden if well watered.

Another plant of the river bed is Prenanthes Hastata or rattlesnake-root which belongs to the large family of composites. It is not beautiful in flowers or foliage, but it is striking, nevertheless. It is tall and grows singly; it has large leaves of a pattern suggestive of a deeply cut primitive spearhead, and it has an open nodding cluster of white or palely mauve-tinted flowers. I never see it without admiration; perhaps its distinction is accentuated by its surroundings, generally a stony stream bed, where its tall vigorous presence is the more surprising. It springs from a spindle-shaped root, and its popular name comes from the fact that the roots of other species have long been regarded in the Southern States as a remedy for rattlesnake bites. Its botanical name is unusually descriptive: Prenanthes is from two Greek words meaning "face-downward-turning flowers," while hastata means "spear-shaped."

The Fawn Lilies

TUGWELL Creek has still another interest for the botanist; it forms a meeting place for the two species of erythronium, E. Oregonum, the white fawn lily, and E. Revolutum, the pink fawn lily. Along the lower reaches of the river the white one occurs rather sparingly; higher up and practically inaccessible except at low water the pink replaces it. So far as I know this is the nearest occurrence to Victoria of the pink form which prevails north of a line drawn from Tugwell Creek to Cowichan Lake and thence to Comox.

Bird life had hardly awakened in the river valley, but I heard the song of the Winter wren, and that alone is worth a walk in the wildest forest, and the voices of a pair of varied thrushes calling to each other rang through the woods with that sound so different from that of other birds. But the robins, sparrows, white-crowned, dusky, song and chipping, and blackbirds, already so common in the open country and around the farms, were either seen or heard.

My title is a line from George Meredith: "Earth's green banner shakes." Here are other lines of his:

"Deep in the forest where the foliage droops,
I wander, filled with joy.
Again as when a boy,
The sunny vistas tempt me on with dim delicious hopes.
The sunny vistas, dim with hanging shade
. . . . . .
Again as in past days,
The spirit of immortal Spring doth every sense pervade.
Oh, do not say that this will ever cease,
This joy of woods and fields,
This youth that Nature yields,
Will never speak to me in vain, tho' soundly rapt in peace."

They Live in a World Apart

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DUBLIN.—Strange islands line the Irish coast, varied birds skim the sea or float on high and countless swarms are darting through the deep—and here is the home of fearless men and noble women, of men whose spirits are as buoyant as the wave on which they ride—of women in whom the mould of Nature has been regained.

Such is Tory Island—the ancient stronghold of the Formoriens, a legendary race of gigantic pirates whose chieftain (1200 B.C.) was the one-eyed Balor of the Mighty Blows. This tiny island of 300 souls came into the eye recently with the death of Mary O'Heraghty, "Queen." She was the first lady of the land for thirty-odd years, having succeeded her father, Patrick O'Heraghty, who, unlike the other islanders, was a mere dwarf in stature. However, his four-foot-odd of kingship did not in the least detract from the respect of his "subjects" or their implicit obedience to his commands.

The island governed by the O'Heraghtys lies over nine miles from the mainland and is only three miles long and one mile wide. It is almost completely isolated from civilization, as it is well-nigh impossible to land there in a rough sea, and having once landed, it is still more difficult to return.

The island contains 1,200 acres, of which roughly one-sixth is capable of cultivation. The inhabitants, therefore, look to the mighty Atlantic for a living, and the Tory Island fisherman has no equal in the world. They are six-foot tall, have handsome and intelligent features, with dark complexions of a Spanish cast.

The women also are tall, dark-featured, well-formed, and for size and mould they might have been the mothers of Titans. There is an air of dignity and solemn majesty in all their movements, as if the voice of the sea that is ever sighing about them had sunk into their breasts and become a part of their very being.

They are a highly civilized people, speaking the Irish language, and their laws, interpreted by their late "Queen" may have been part of the famous Brehon code, or a code particularly drawn up for their isolated sojourn on this desolate stronghold in the ever restless waves of the great Atlantic.

In the days of the great St. Columbhille, Tory Island was selected as a site for churches, and tradition tells us that Ailiduis, son of Baldon, set a ferocious dog at the Saint, and the latter, having overcome the beast, commanded that no dog should ever again be introduced to the island. To this day there are no dogs, rats, or even frogs in the tiny kingdom, and a "magic" clay that is taken from a well near the side of a grave at Marrisher, "on the Church of the Seven," possesses the power of keeping away rats, is a preventative of fevers and seasickness, and an assurance to users against loss of any kind.

Has Been Modernized

ABOUT ninety years ago there was neither magistrate nor clergyman, doctor nor lawyer on the island, but that is now changed, as the island boasts a modern church, has a postoffice, an up-to-date lighthouse, and a school, where all instruction is imparted through the medium of the Irish language.

All the land was formerly held by the old "rundale" tenure, by virtue of which each tenant had a proportion of every kind of land and no one a permanent possession of a separate part. This has long since been changed, and land is now on the same basis as on the mainland of the famous County of Donegal.

The cliffs of Tory rise precipitately from the sea, and on Tormore, which rises over 280 feet from the sea, is a large and apparently loose stone called the wishing stone by the islanders. They say that whoever reaches this stone, plants himself on it and turns round three times, will have his wish gratified. Very few, it is said, have attempted this feat, as in turning round one runs the risk of toppling over into the sea, and so the magic powers of the celebrated wishing stone are seldom put to the test.

The antiquities of Tory Island consist of a Round Tower, the ruins of a monastery and the "Seven Churches," and a peculiar custom prevailed there in the olden days of having a millstone or "Quern" in the foundation of every house or building. The latter custom has been verified by excavations recently made by archaeologists.

A Female Solomon

THE "Queen" of the island, Mary O'Heraghty, was not easily distinguished from any of the other women. She lived their normal life and tended her spinning wheel and took on all the domestic duties of a good housewife. However, in legal matters on petty disputes of any kind she was virtual dictator, and so just were her decisions that seldom, if ever, was there any grumbling or a desire to question the wisdom of her findings.

She was the descendant of Kings and Queens of the island from time immemorial, and it is believed that several centuries ago members of her family held the lands for the benefit of the Church and were, although laymen and women, recognized as archdeacons. When the Laws of the Church were changed in this respect, the family still retained its Lordship or Kingdom, but in fairness to the Islanders in general, those of the Royal House never attempted to hold or have more than their ordinary neighbor. If one wishes to look for perfection in the human race and wants to find unselfishness in its true perspective, he need only visit Tory Island and live the normal life of the fishermen and women of this ocean fastness.

The nearest relative of Mary O'Heraghty in the male or female line succeeds to the Kingdom, and so the Solomon-like decisions of ages will be rendered by a member of a tribe that has ruled the islanders for centuries. The late Queen objected strenuously to being photographed, and consented only on condition that she be shown at work at her spinning wheel.

At this particular time the Court was called together to decide whether it was proper to keep geese on the island, as several complaints had reached the Queen that they were destroying the sparse crops. The evidence having been given, a legislative decree was issued banishing geese from the island, and so the geese went the way of the rats, dogs and frogs and are seen no more in the island kingdom.

Devoid of Reptiles

THE island now boasts of twenty-one species of birds, eleven kinds of fish and forty-one types of plants, and never a reptile of any kind.

While dealing with Kings and Queens of the Isles of the West, no story would be complete without a short reference to Grace O'Malley, "Graainne of the Heroes," daughter of Owen O'Malley, Chief of the Western Islands in the sixteenth century.

On the death of her father, "Grainne," ignoring the rule of Tanistry by which her younger brother would become chief, delegated herself ruler of the district which surrounds Clew Bay and comprises all its islands. Her determined character and her daring exploits, especially on sea, won her the title of "Queen of Men." Her first husband was O'Flaherty, ruler of Connemara, who died shortly after the marriage. She then married Sir Richard Bourke, and tradition says the marriage contract contained a singular clause whereby it was to last a year, and at the termination of the stipulated period either of the contracting parties could dissolve the union by saying "I dismiss you."

Grace O'Malley took advantage of this clause in her marriage contract and "dismissed" Sir Richard Bourke after the union had completed the contractual twelve months.

Snubbed the Queen

"GRAINNE," as Queen of the Western Isles, was once invited to visit Queen Elizabeth of England, but whatever the former desired to gain through the social call was all set at naught through the independent bearing and scornful rejection of the British Queen's overtures by Grace O'Malley. A present of a lapdog was turned down and an offer by Queen Elizabeth to make Grace a countess was also rejected with the plea that "she, too, was a Queen," and not the inferior by any means of Her Britannic Majesty.

So terminated the visit of an Irish Queen to the British Court, and as Grace O'Malley died soon afterwards and as no successor was found, her sea kingdom gradually ceased to exist. Her memory now lives fresh and green amongst the hardy fisherfolk of the Western Isles, and her exploits, bravery and conquests have been celebrated in song and story down the ages.

Exhibition of Fakes

THE Natural History Society at Nuremburg as a warning to private collectors, is holding an exhibition of faked antiques from the collection of the eighty-year-old Munich painter, Gabriel Max, who paid very considerable sums for them, believing them to be genuine. Many "relics of the Bronze Age" are made of copper wire and sheet brass and the bones of cave bears have been passed off as tools used in the Stone Age. In a separate room is arranged a collection of genuine relics of antiquity, to demonstrate the difference between these and the fakes.

A Page For CHILDREN

The Merry Month of May

WE have let ten of May's long days pass without notice. Little folks have had a happy time and older boys and girls have played every minute of the time they could spare from school and from homework. We will take a few minutes now to think about the month while we listen to the birds singing and watch the blossoms coming out on the trees and in the gardens.

Plums and pears and cherry trees have scattered their petals. You may see the beginnings of the fruits that the Summer sun will ripen. The apple trees are covered with their lovely pink-edged blossoms. The air is full of scent and the murmur of bees. Look at the strawberry beds and fields as you pass. What a promise of the fruit that, if all goes well, will fill crates in a few weeks. Raspberry and loganberry trees are covered with leaves, and the blackberry bushes are stretching their long arms over fences and brush piles. The thorns are growing, too, as if to warn us not to strip the trees too bare when Autumn comes.

This corner of the world is very rich in flowers and fruit. We are reminded of the old Mexican woman who told the traveler, "It's a lovely world, Massa." Let us look and look again at the freshness and greenness the showers have left. Can any of you count the shades of greenness on the trees?

Long Ago

AS long ago as there are any records May has been a holiday month in the Northern Hemisphere. Learned men tell us the name May means growth, and every garden and field bears witness to the belief.

When Rome was in its prime the people thought there was a goddess of flowers named Flora. Young men and maidens came together to do her honor. Song and dance and music filled the hours as crowned with flowers they crowded to Flora's shrine.

May in England

LONG before Britain became England feasts were held, games played and sacrifices offered when at the coming of May, Winter's rule was over. After Celt and Saxon had become one nation and Christianity had conquered heathendom our forefathers still kept May Day as a joyous festival. Young and old, high and lowly went out into the fields and woods to gather fresh flowers to deck the homes. The hawthorn blossoms were gathered and the tree on which they grew was called the May.

In every village green a Maypole was planted. The fairest or the best beloved maiden was enthroned as queen and all-day-long dances around the Maypole were held. Kings and queens joined with their subjects in the sports of the day, history tells us.

In his poem of the May Queen Tennyson tells how, even in the last century, the English observed the old holiday.

Crossed the Ocean

THE Puritans who founded the United States had no love for old-time merrymakings. When they were in power at home their officers had cut down the Maypoles and forbid the pastimes held at that season.

The early settlers of Canada, too, had a feeling that time was too precious to be spent in play at the busiest season of the year.

It was left for British Columbia to introduce to this continent a very beautiful old custom. At New Westminster a May Queen has been crowned on May Day for many years. A young girl is selected from among the schoolgirls and reigns during the happy merrymakings. It would be interesting to learn when and how the celebration began there. It has been held for upwards of forty years.

In Victoria, the Twenty-Fourth of May, the birthday of Queen Victoria, took the place of the first as the day for the festival. The ceremonies have become more elaborate than when Tennyson's May Queen said:

"Beneath the hawthorn on the green
They crowned me Queen of May,
And we dance about the Maypole
And in the hazel copse
Till Charles Wain came out
Above the tall white chimney tops."

But still young folks have happy hearts, and when this year our city's holiday comes round, it is hoped the queen and all her subjects will enjoy themselves to their hearts' content.

Fanny Is Afraid of Mice

—Photo by Harry W. Frees

Why, Fan! You're not afraid of mice! It really can't be true!
You stupid cat! You ought to know that Mouse is scared of you!
Why, only half an hour ago this kitten on the beach
Was boasting that a Tiger-cat would fail to make her blench.
But, "Chase it off!" screams silly Fan. "Ow, chase it off, I say!"
So Freddie brought his mother's broom and shooed the Mouse away.

Legacies for Everybody

THERE are some pieces of writing so beautiful that they belong not to any time or place, but to the whole world and to every age.

Not very long ago, so it is said, a very poor man died in the city of Chicago. In the pocket of his ragged coat was found a paper marked as a will. It has been published again and again, once, if your editor remembers rightly, on your page.

Since then children have grown up to be fathers and mothers. The story has again found its way into print in a review of a new book by William Lyon Phelps called "Tales About Books and Authors," by William Lyon Phelps. From The Readers' Digest for May the following paragraphs are taken. Boys and girls can understand, and, it is hoped, love them.

Item: I give to good fathers and mothers, in trust for their children, all good little words of praise and encouragement, and all quaint pet names and endearments; and I charge said parents to use them justly, but generously, as the deeds of their children shall require.

Item: I leave to children inclusively, but only for the term of their childhood, all and every flower of the field and the blossoms of the woods, with the right to play among them freely according to the custom of children, warning them at the same time against thistles and thorns. And I devise to children the banks of the brooks and the golden sands beneath the waters thereof, and the odors of the willows that dip therein, and the white clouds that float high over giant trees. And I leave the children the long, long days to be merry in, in a thousand ways, and the night and the train of the Milky Way to wonder at, but subject, nevertheless, to the rights hereinafter given to lovers.

Item: I devise to boys, jointly, all the useful idle fields and commons where ball may be played, all pleasant waters where one may swim, all snow-clad hills where one may coast, and all streams and ponds where one may fish, or where, when grim Winter comes, one may skate, to hold the same for the period of their boyhood. All the meadows, with the clover blossoms and butterflies thereof, the woods with their beauty; the squirrels and the birds and the echoes and strange noises, and all distant places, which may be visited together with the adventurers there found. And I give to said boys each his own place at the fireside at night, with all pictures that may be seen in the burning wood, to enjoy without let or hindrance or without any encumbrance or care.

Item: To lovers, I devise their imaginary world, with whatever they may need, as the stars of the sky, the red roses by the wall, the bloon, of the hawthorn, the sweet strains of music, and aught else they may desire to figure to each other the lastingness and beauty of their love.

Item: To young men jointly I bequeath all the boisterous, inspiring sports of rivalry, and I give to them the disdain of weakness, and undaunted confidence in their own strength. I leave to them the power to make lasting friendships and of possessing companions, and to them, exclusively, I give all merry songs and choruses to sing with lusty voices.

Item: And to those who are no longer children or youths, or lovers, I leave memory; and bequeath to them the volumes of Poems of Burns and Shakespeare and other poets, if there be others, to the end that they may live the old days over again, freely and fully without tithe or diminution.

Item: To the loved ones with snowy crowns, I bequeath the happiness of old age, the love and gratitude of their children until they fall asleep.

A Milky Way Across the Sea

ALL kinds of strange things happened a week or two ago when a steamship crossed the Atlantic from the Channel Islands to New York carrying 117 prize Guernsey cows.

All the passengers and sixty men of the crew set to work to milk the cows each day, and there was such an embarrassing supply of milk that some of the crew spent their spare time churning the milk for butter and cheese. Hundreds of gallons of milk had to be thrown overboard as it could not all be used, and this had the extraordinary effect of attracting whales, which were sighted several days out by the look-out men. There were two cats on the vessel, and report has it that on arrival in New York they were so fat from all the cream they had drunk on the voyage that they were hardly recognizable.—Children's Newspaper.

May Day

Queen of fresh flowers,
Whom vernal stars obey,
Bring thy warm showers,
Bring thy genial ray,
In Nature's greenest livery drest
Descend on earth's expectant breast
To earth and heaven a welcome guest
Thou merry month of May!

Mark, how we meet thee
At dawn of dewy day!
Hark, how we greet thee—
With our roundelay!
While all the goodly things that be
In earth and air, and ample sea,
Are waking up to welcome thee,
Thou merry month of May!

Flocks on the mountains,
And birds upon their spray,
Tree, turf and fountains
All hold holiday;
And love the life of living things,
Love waves his torch and claps his wings,
And loud and wide thy praises sings,
Thou merry month of May!

—Reginald Heber.

Early Spring

How sweet this morning air in Spring,
When tender is the grass and wet!
I see some little leaves have not
Outgrown their early childhood yet;
And cows no longer hurry home,
However sweet a voice cries "Come."

Here, with green Nature all around,
While that fine bird the skylark sings;
Who now in such a passion is,
He flies by it, and not his wings;
And many a blackbird, thrush and sparrow
Sing sweeter songs that I may borrow.

These watery swamps and thickets wild—
Called Nature's slums—to me are more
Than any courts where fountains play,
And men-at-arms guard every door;
For I could sit down here alone,
And count the oak trees, one by one.

—W. H. Davies.

Mercy

The quality of mercy is not strained.
It droppeth as the gentle rain from heaven
Upon the place beneath. It is twice blessed;
It blesseth him that gives and him that takes.
'Tis mightiest in the mighty; it becomes
The throned monarch better than his crown;
His sceptre shows the force of temporal power,
The attribute to awe and majesty,
Wherein doth sit the dread and fear of kings;
But mercy is above that sceptred sway,
It is enthroned in the heart of kings,
It is an attribute of God himself;
And earthly power doth thou show likest God's
When mercy season's justice.

—William Shakespeare.

A Shock to His Friends

IT came as a shock to naturalists last year to learn that woodpeckers in Buckinghamshire had been drilling nestboxes of bluetits and eating the nestlings.

Although the nests had been wired round to guard against such attacks, they drove their beaks through the meshes of the wire, pierced the wood, and drew out the tiny birds.

Now comes an even stranger story from France. There stout wooden beehives are suffering. Famished with hunger, woodpeckers have been drilling open the hives and feasting on the torpid bees.

These startling offences must be exceptional. The woodpecker is a highly specialized bird, the master surgeon of the woods. Its purpose is to seek out wood-boring insects which frequent the rotting wood of trees. By tearing out the decayed wood to get at the beetles the bird removes decay which by spreading would kill the tree.

When Winter comes with frost to render the sodden boughs as hard as steel, the woodpecker can no longer extract its food from the timber; so if it cannot pick up ants or other insects from the ground it is reduced to the possibility of death from starvation. A hive of bees may seem to it like a new sort of tree, and its inmates another form of natural food. Hives must be guarded against its attacks, but we can compensate the woodpecker at the bird table.—Children's Newspaper.

MOTHER'S DAY

Yes, Mother's Day! I know it
By the tender thoughts that swell
On the flood-lit seas of Memory
Whence, whither, who can tell?
But I know it by the music
That peals forth from yonder tree
By the love for all things lovely
That she first instilled in me.

I know it by the blossoms
That she planted long ago—
Buds that fairly seem to whisper,
Woodland lilies white as snow;
And I know it by the fragrance
Of the balm-tree towering near—
Withal, Spring ne'er so captious
At the first flush of the year!

But lo, in sylvan raiment
She at last has come to reign;
And I know by every token,
That 'tis Mother's Day again.
I know it—yes, I know it
For 'twas ever thus in May,
Though every day the year around
Might well be Mother's Day!

—Mary H. Rathom.

Song on May Morning

Now the bright morning star, day's harbinger,
Comes dancing from the east and leads with her
The flow'ry May, who from her green lap throws
The yellow cowslip and the pale primrose.
Hail, bounteous May, that dost inspire
Mirth and youth and warm desire,
Woods and groves are thy dressing,
Hill and dale doth boast thy blessing.
Thus we salute thee with our early song,
And welcome thee, and wish thee long.

—John Milton.

The Foolish Talker

Gratiano speaks an infinite deal of nothing, more than any man in all Venice. His reasons are as two grains of wheat hid in two bushels of chaff; you shall seek all day ere you find them, and when you have them, they are not worth the search.—"Merchant of Venice."

The Beast That Beauty Found

(Concluded)

"LOOK at your hands! Is that the way little ladies keep their nails nice for stitching and their embroidery? Full of mud and dirt and the nails all broken! As for you, Richard, I might as well be married to a mole as to a man who's always got his nose in the earth. Go to bed, Mary, and remember I'll have no more of it."

But a few months later Mary's mother would have given much to recall those words, for her husband fell ill and died, leaving his wife and daughter not only heart-broken, but penniless.

He would never go fossil-hunting again; never sit in his carpenter's shop among the foamy sea of wood shavings, making his tables and chairs and telling the travelers who came to enquire about the odd things in his window of the great creatures that had crawled in the forests that once covered the little town. Poor Mary nearly broke her heart. Pale and woe-begone, she used to creep down to the little shop that was not yet sold and arrange the beloved fossils which brought back memories of so many exciting and happy hours. Sometimes she took her basket and hammer and went tapping and chipping on the cliffs, and perhaps it was because her mother regretted her scoldings in the past that she let her go, hoping the wind might blow some color into the child's white cheeks.

But in spite of the fresh air and her new liberty, Mary became queerer than ever. She became very quiet and started when she was spoken to, for her thoughts were far away and her mind full of John Dories, ladies' fingers and the mighty bones of prehistoric monsters.

The fact was Mary had a secret. A secret that was exciting, and yet nearly broke her heart, for she longed to share it with that dear, clever father whose dream it was to discover marvels. In her lonely ramblings she had made a thrilling discovery; but the sad part was that her small hands were neither big enough nor strong enough to delve deep into the cliffs and find that wonderful something she felt sure was there.

Must the secret that had lain hidden for millions of years remain still in the dark earth and perhaps be discovered in the end by somebody else, just because she was a poor fatherless girl without a penny in the world?

In the old parish church dedicated to St. Michael the Archangel, sitting very still under the wooden gallery on Sundays, Mary had different thoughts, though she never dreamed that one day there would be in that ancient church a stained glass window bearing her name. Perhaps she prayed for help, and perhaps her prayers were answered, for one day something happened which seemed almost a miracle.

Help came from a stranger who was staying at the inn, and one day strolled down the queer little street tumbling down to the sea, and looked through the window of the carpenter's shop where Mary was lovingly arranging her fossils.

Her precious ammonite was in the centre of the treasures. The stranger stepped inside and asked to see it.

"Well, my little maid, where did you find that?"

Shyly Mary told him and placed it in his hands.

"And are all these things for sale?"

"Yes, sir." Mary, longing to help the family fortunes, trembled with anticipation.

The stranger turned over the fossils, laughed when Mary pointed out the crocodile's tooth as though the idea of a crocodile in England were a huge joke, and then, to Mary's joy, bought the ammonite for half-a-crown.

Half-a-crown seems a small sum nowadays, but in 1811 it seemed a big price to pay for so little; and, strange to say, that half-crown not only changed Mary's whole life, but brought fame and honor to herself and her little native town.

Though that half-crown was badly needed at home, Mary went down to the beach, where she found some loiterers who agreed, in exchange for the coin, to take her father's tools and go to a place where she would lead them and there follow her instructions.

In fear and trembling that her mother would step in and prevent her carrying out her plans, the little girl led the men to the face of the cliff and explained to them how they must seek for the treasure she was convinced lay beneath the surface.

What jokes they made at poor Mary's expense!

"And what be it, maidie? Us be fair cranky with curiosity."

Terrified that they would tire of their task before it was completed, Mary, acting as overseer, in her quaint frock and poke bonnet told them her great secret—that she believed they were just about to discover one of those crocodiles that had once crawled over that very land.

This caused great mirth.

"A crocodile, is it? Well, maidie, us'll dig up fo' ye and make a fine show of 'un!"

As the hours passed Mary's excitement and anxiety increased, for the secret was beginning to unfold itself; slowly the bones of some great skeleton were being uncovered by her helpers, and it was only by the knowledge that she had gained from her father and by close watching that she prevented any injury to her wonderful discovery.

The splendid moment came at last!

Before the astonished workers lay the vast skeleton of the first Ichthyosaurus Platydon ever found in England, an awful creature twenty-five feet long, who, millions of years ago, had laid down to die in that spot and now was first seen by the eyes of living men. Beauty had discovered the Beast. She was the talk of England.

Kings and queens knew her by name, crowds flocked from towns and villages to see the monster she had discovered, and with them came the lord of the manor, who bought her treasure which made Mary the family breadwinner.

How to See Birds

A LOVER and observer of birds recently sent the following notes to the children's newspaper. Most of the birds mentioned are found on Vancouver Island as well as in England.

If you want to see wild duck go to a quiet lake, if you want the fascinating dipper, a bird like a big, black wren with a white and chestnut chest, named from its funny habit of bowing or dipping when resting on a stone or flying under the water looking for insects, go to a swift mountain or moorland stream. To see the little blue nuthatch performing its acrobatics on the tree trunk go to a nut wood, but if you look for the crossbill, a rich orange-red bird with its beak crossed at the tips like a pair of pincers, seek the pinewoods, for this bird feeds on pine cones.

If you want to watch birds in a city park or a country lane it is always better to go early in the morning before many people have disturbed them, for birds are then more confiding in their ways. If you wish to photograph a bird you will make the task much easier by feeding the birds at a certain spot a few days before, so that they will come to know you as a friend.

Let's Make the Best of It

THE Carnegie Library has agreed to do without the $500 the management had planned to spend on new books. That is a pity. It was badly needed.

But it will do us good if each of us resolves to take better care of the books we have. In this matter the grown-ups are no better than the children.

In the children's library there are many good books. A very wise man said a long time ago:

"Some books are made to be tasted, others to be swallowed, and some few to be chewed and digested."

If we read our good books over again and yet again, the loss of new ones will be more than made up. When, next year, perhaps, the shelves are full again we will be hungry for them. So let's make the best of it. There is poetry we have not learned by heart, and there are stories we have forgotten and fairy tales to make us happy.

Shakespeare

Our prince of peace in glory hath gone,
With no spear shaken, no sword drawn,
No cannon fired, no flag unfurled,
To make his conquest of the world.

For him no martyr-fires have blazed,
No limbs been racked, no scaffolds raised;
For him no life was ever shed,
To make the victor's pathway red.

And for all time he wears the crown
Of lasting, limitless renown;
He reigns, whatever monarchs fall,
His throne is in the heart of all.

—Gerald Massey.

An Amusing Story

LITTLE girls do not go to church for fun. But there is a bishop in England who loves children and who does not think that it is a sin to smile, even in church.

Not long ago the Bishop of Bristol was preaching to a congregation among whom were the Princesses Elizabeth and Margaret Rose, the daughters of the Duke of York.

In the course of his address he told his listeners that when a tiny boy he was taken to the church at which his father was curate and heard a hymn announced. Too young either to know hymns or to read their words, he yet knew a song, "Old King Cole Was a Merry Old Soul," and right heartily he sang it, but, to his astonishment, in the midst of it he was whisked out of the church by his scandalized nurse.

A Mountain Lake

A lake in California is entirely surrounded by snow-capped mountains and yet does not freeze. In some parts Lake Tahoe is more than 1,600 feet deep, and is so clear that an object can be seen 120 feet below the surface. Scientists think it is probably due to the depth and clarity that the water does not freeze.

Empire Day

Empire Day was started in 1902 by the Earl of Meath, officially recognized in 1904, and its organization was taken over in 1921 by the Royal Colonial Institute, now the Royal Empire Society. Its aim is the promotion in schools of training for Empire citizenship, special prominence being given to saluting the flag. The day is observed on May 24, the anniversary of Queen Victoria's birthday.

A Good King

Never was monarch better feared and loved
Than is your majesty; there's not, I think, a subject
That sits in heart-grief and uneasiness
Under the sweet shade of your government.

"Henry the Fifth."

Albert Pinkham Ryder—American Master Painter

IN the New England seaport town of New Bedford in the year 1847 this important American artist was born. Some think of him as the greatest artist the United States has produced. As a young boy "Pinkie Ryder" began to draw. He was so enthusiastic and determined in his efforts that he made amazing progress. An artist who had seen the boy's work remarked to his father, Albert Ryder, that his son possessed a unique talent. His father replied:

"I don't know. I'm glad if you think so. I don't understand him."

The boy's father did not know quite what to make of his son's passion for drawing and considered him rather queer, though he made no attempt to stop him. Later, young Ryder was apprenticed to a local painter named Sherman. This man put the boy to copying poor engravings of the old masters. For a time the boy put up with this drudgery, but soon gave it up to paint and experiment with color. Not long after he wrote: "As I worked I saw that it was good and clean and strong. I saw nature springing to life upon my dead canvas. It was better than nature, for it was vibrating with the thrill of a new creation."

While working in the studio of his first teacher young Ryder came under the influence of the work of a popular painter of the day, Albert Bierstadt. At the time the young boy was tremendously impressed by those large theatrical looking canvasses, but he made no attempt to imitate them.

The subject which interested the young artist most was the sea. Living in a seaport town may account, in part, for this passion. At that time New Bradford was a rough and boisterous town where hundreds of sailors, pirates and smugglers gathered for amusement until their ships were ready to put to sea. Sometimes their boats were never seen again. The young artist was perfectly content to live in his native town, but his father's business failed and the family was obliged to move to New York. At that time Pinkie Ryder was still in his early twenties. He was so confident of his ultimate success as an artist that he was willing to be dependent on his brother for ten years.

To be forced to leave the sea subjects which interested him most to copying plaster casts at the National Academy proved too much for young Ryder. A stroll one night along the wharves of the New York waterfront decided him to discontinue the classes and devote himself to painting the subjects which interested him most.

In 1873 his first picture was accepted and hung in the Academy. For fifteen years he had his paintings hung annually. Although Ryder never achieved great public success in his art, he is considered one of the few American painters of genius. Among his better known pictures which have been widely reproduced and can be seen in any good book on the history of painting are: "The Flying Dutchman," "The Smuggler," "The Wreck," "Pirate's Isle," "Jonah and the Whale," "The Lorelei." He died in 1918.—Vernon Timberley.

Must People Go Hungry?

"NOT in Victoria," generous people say. No sooner was it made known that the Sunshine Inn was in need of help than a number of kind ladies and gentlemen began to send in money to buy needed food.

It is Springtime and the cellars and storehouses of vegetables and fruit in the country round are getting empty. There is not much more in them than will be needed for the families of their owners. So the managers of the Sunshine Inn must buy the supplies they need. That many have both the means and the will to help them to do this is being shown.

It must not be forgotten, though, that every little helps. There are many housekeepers who could give a little, but are not willing to have their names put down for a small amount or a little gift. They forget the Scotch saying that "Many a little mak's a muckle."

Perhaps some of the children could help if they tried.

Suburb and Country

AGRICULTURE IS A FIRST PRINCIPLE: ON IT RESTS THE LIFE AND HAPPINESS OF MANKIND—Julian A. Dimock

The Landscape Garden

By E. M. STRAIGHT
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(Continued From Last Week)

THE house in the garden picture is sure to occupy the foreground and is bound to be one of the most outstanding features in it. Sometimes we wish it were not, but it is there, and likely to remain. Very often at little expense the foreground may be improved by extending the eaves of the house, creating an overhanging effect, and by supporting the porch by pillars of more than generous size. The sharp angles may be taken off by planting around the corners, and the use of creepers.

Due attention should be given to the planting around the house. A continuous fringe around the whole structure is objectionable, and should not be tolerated. Plant in masses; break up the straight lines, but see to it that the house is properly connected up with Mother Earth by means of planting.

The Frame

ALL pictures must have a frame. In this case we secure it by means of the border. An irregular border is of great use in this connection. Use bold masses of planting with curved border lines, providing for little bays where the lower growing things may appear.

Avoid straight lines, and round off the angles of the lawn or garden in such a way as to bring about the most pleasing effect. In this connection study your viewpoint, and by means of shrubbery shut out the objectionable features, and emphasize the beautiful by leaving an open space, if there is something beautiful which you wish people to see in the distance.

Roads and Paths

THERE is nothing beautiful about cement walks. In our opinion, as you approach the house nothing can take the place of stepping stones, level with the surface soil, over which the lawn mower may be run without obstruction. Such an arrangement is easily cared for—a matter of some concern if the lawn is to be maintained by the owner himself. The curved line is the line of beauty, hence a gradual sweep in roads and paths is liked by everybody. However, any turn or curve in path must be justified.

If one does not have trees or outbreaks of rock round which a road must of necessity curve, it is a good plan to plant a mass of shrubbery in the curve of the road, leaving the impression that the curve was forced on the owner. Just as we have said that there is nothing lovely about a concrete walk, unnecessary roads, gravel walks, etc., are to be avoided. The turf, well kept, should approach the house in so far as the thing is practicable.

The Open Space

WITHOUT the open space between the borders and the road approaching the house, either on one or both sides, all planting plans are faulty. Nothing can take the place of the open lawn, and nothing repays the best care more than open spaces of well-kept grass. Nothing will spoil the whole appearance any quicker than flower beds scattered promiscuously over the lawn.

Many things contribute to the beauty of the home grounds, but nothing is quite so important as the open space. It is true that in some cases a specimen tree may be permitted, but such tree should be one that the owner and his friends may well be proud of. If the case demands, a clump of trees may be planted in threes or fives, but never in twos or fours. Never mix evergreens with deciduous trees.

Avoid Spots

ALL lovers of pictures have noticed that, often appearing on pictures on what otherwise would be a thing of beauty there is a spot which undoubtedly draws attention. On the landscape picture spots often appear. In one case we remember having seen a large pot with flowers planted, with wood placed in position as if a fire soon would be lighted. Nature does not favor plantings of that kind. Avoid it! It is a spot!

Some gardens, of course, and some gardeners incline to the architectural in their arrangement. All of these formal schemes have a place on a formal city street, but for the greater part of Canada, with wide open spaces, the naturalistic planting makes the stronger appeal and has much to recommend it.

When Man and Nature Work Together

A Rough, Tumbled Down Slope to the Street Characterized This Spot When Ed. Spence Took Possession of It on Deal Street in Oak Bay. Instantly He Responded to the Time-Honored British Instinct of Home Building by Transforming This Eyesore Into a Rockery With Steps Ornamented With Blue Violas, and Curving Walks and Driveways. The Great Old Oak, Whose Roots Were Protruding Into the Street, Has Also Been Cared For.

Defeating the Seasons And the Theory of Vernalization

IF seeds of Winter wheat are germinated in an icebox and subjected to suitable conditions of light, aeration and humidity, they can be sown in Spring and will come into ear at the same time as if they had been sown in Autumn. This is the practical significance for farmers of some interesting research work which originated at the Odessa School of Plant Physiologists, headed by T. D. Lysenko, says a writer in The Field.

The general principles of vernalization, the term used for this theory, are that growth and development, far from being identical as has been popularly supposed, are in reality two distinct and separate phenomena. Growth is regarded merely as an increase in size and weight, and such changes as flowering and reproduction are included under development. According to the new theory, either of these proccases may proceed independently of the other, so that we may be faced with the extraordinary case of a plant which comes into flower without having grown or a plant which grows forever without coming into flower. All that is necessary to do, it would seem, to produce such remarkable behavior is to treat the plant in such a way that one of the two processes is favored to the exclusion of the other.

So much for the theory of vernalization. The method was recognized as of practical importance in Russia, where pre-sowing treatment of seed gives accelerated development of wheat and a variety of crops. Over a wide area farmers have been taught the method and persuaded to apply it in the following Spring, so that a considerable bulk of practical data is now available which proves the undoubted economic possibilities of the method. In arid regions, as in the Ukraine, a late rise in soil temperature in Spring is followed by intense heat and drought in July. In such a short growing season only very early varieties of wheat can ripen. Attempts to introduce higher yielding varieties from other localities result in failure since these flower late and are destroyed by the heat before ripening. Vernalization, by shortening the time required to flower, permits the use of these imported varieties.

Many Tests Carried

A BULLETIN has now been issued jointly by the Imperial Bureaux of Plant Genetics which describes in detail the results of the many experiments that have been carried out in all sorts of crops under every possible condition in different parts of the world.

The results of vernalization of over 6,000 varieties of wheat and of 500,000 hectares of vernalized sowings, based on replies to a questionnaire received from 1,056 different Soviet farms, are recorded. The results have on the whole been satisfactory when the necessary conditions of technique have been observed, and it would seem that the method may now be definitely regarded as a useful agricultural measure in countries where early ripening is a decisive factor in successful cultivation. For instance, spinach, sugar beet and even potatoes have by suitable treatment been grown at Hibiny, in the Arctic circle. Cereals have been induced to ripen a week or more earlier, and by this means it has become possible to extend their cultivation to large tracts of country where this has been impossible hitherto because of drought or other unfavorable conditions.

The main results of the Russian workers have now been confirmed in most countries where vernalization has been tried. In countries of more normal climatic conditions the method will probably not be of such wide application to the main crops, but in the case of salad, vegetable and market garden crops a difference of a few days may prove of tremendous economic importance, and a considerable future is foreseen in the application of vernalization to plants of this type. The Russian workers have even claimed to get increased yields from vernalized sowings, but there seems to be some difference of opinion on this point, and others have observed a depression in yield after vernalization.

For Ornamental Plants

WRITING in Scientific Horticulture, Miss O. N. Purvis suggests that in England there appears to be little need to vernalize cereal crops, since Winter conditions, unlike those of Russia, favor Autumn sowing of Winter varieties and the Summer is long enough for all varieties to ripen. The method may, however, be applicable to ornamental plants. Many annuals must be sown in Autumn. It is possible that after vernalization Spring sowings would produce an early display of flowers.

A more complete understanding of the principles involved in vernalization may reveal a method of reversing the process, and of delaying flowering in plants whose continued vegetative growth is desired. "Bolting" in such plants as beet, lettuce and cabbage may be considerably reduced by withholding conditions which are known to bring about vernalization; thus in beet, low temperature encourages flowering and plants have been maintained in a vegetative condition for several years by keeping them in a warm greenhouse, and similar results have been obtained with cabbage and celery. Such a method would help to solve certain herbage problems, and should be of value to the market gardener.

Effect of Fertilizers Is Illustrated in Field on Old West Road

A STRIKING illustration of the effect of fertilizers is to be seen on the Old West Road, on the farm of H. C. Oldfield. There one can see a large field of grain, three or four inches high, on a fairly steep hillside. In the centre, readily discernible from the road, the letters T O B Y, twenty or thirty feet in depth, stand out embossed in dark green in a field of light green. The grain which forms the letters was fertilized about the time of planting, while the rest of the field, if fertilized, did not receive as heavy an application of plant food.

The field in general has much the same appearance of others in the neighborhood that are sown to grain. But where the fertilizer has been applied the growth of the grain has been greatly accelerated so that the grain in the letters is healthier in appearance, deeper in color, taller and stronger.

Incidentally a trip out the Old West Road, while always interesting because of the beauty of the countryside, is particularly impressive at present. Orchards are in full bloom and the wooded portions are studded with dogwood trees which are in full bloom, the white of the flowers standing out in relief against the shades of the forest green. Some of the finest specimens of dogwood in existence are to be seen in Saanich; and many of those on the Old West Road will rank with the best.

Bellflower Is Favorite Garden Perennial

By DEAN HALLIDAY

WHETHER you know the plant as Chinese Bellflower or as the Japanese Balloon Flower really makes very little difference, for Platycodon grandiflorum is a favorite perennial to each garden lover who becomes acquainted with it.

Before the flowers open in July and August the buds are immense glossy balloons on short stems; hence the name by which they are known is Balloon Flower. The flowers are bell-shaped, thereby securing the name Bellflower.

These plants can be had in white, rich blue and purple, and are handsome hardy perennials, unless planted in a wet situation in heavy soil. They prefer an open, sunny location and good drainage. The plant is straight growing and stately in its appearance when it is covered with its balloon buds and large bell-shaped flowers. It grows to a height of two feet or more, and can be grown easily from seed; or, if you have a plant, divisions can be made of it in the Spring.

Evolution of Good Seed

By KARL B. SCHMITZ, in The New York Times

WHAT is a seed? It is a tiny fertilized and mature capsule instinct with the forces of life. It is imprisoned life waiting for release into some new form of plant creation. It is a promise of growth, flower and fruitfulness. Even the oldest and most experienced gardeners are recurrently fascinated with the wonder and mystery of the implanted seed's development, as a minute, comatose grain awakens and tunnels its grasping roots into the earth and rises aloft in lush leaf and beautiful flower. One who contemplates the agelessly long sequence of viable energy flowing through a seed achieves reverence and humility.

Scientifically, a seed is a ripened ovule, and contains within its outer covering or shell a fertile germ of its own kind, lying embedded and at rest in a supply of starchy plant food. The germ or embryo is an actual plant of microscopic size. Usually it has one or two rudimentary leaves, the cotyledons, the beginning of a main stock—the plumule—and a caulicle from which roots will develop.

When the seed is subjected to the right conditions of germination, growth starts in these embryonic parts and they enlarge, consuming their food supply until they are strong enough to reach out and gather their nourishment and moisture from soil, air and light.

But, practically, a gardener wants to know what constitutes a good seed. How is a good seed to be recognized? How are good seeds secured and treated? Only good seed, the best seed, are worthy of effort, expense and expectancy. A plant from an inferior seed occupies nearly as much ground space as one from a good strain of seed, and in small city and town garden plots this is a primary consideration. A poor plant requires as much fertilizer, watering and weeding as a fine plant. Poor seed, though cheap, is unprofitable.

Perfecting Quality

COMMERCIALLY and practically, good seeds are fertile and mature, ready to spring into strong growth. Their quality has been determined by the origin, character, immunity to disease and vigor of their parents, just as their vitality has depended upon the careful treatment of the seedsman in their harvest, selection, storage and preparation. All of the long line of circumstances and conditions in seed production, every factor, must have been favorable to the seed, or the seed is poor in quality, low in vitality, or infertile.

At some fortunate point in the superior seed's ancestry, various plants in several generations, each with some desirable elements of character, mated and re-mated and contributed their special quotas of merit to form a definitely new and superior plant. Possibly this better origination may have been brought about by the free agencies of natural growth in a wild state, and then man discovered by happy chance this superior plant and adapted it for his uses.

Or man, in his work as a hybridist, may have detected certain related plants with various pleasing elements of character and joined them, through countless experiments, until by design or chance he finally accomplished an origination approaching the ideal he sought.

Owing to its mixed ancestry, the better plant origination, if it survived and multiplied numerously enough, reproduced not only itself, but—according to the fixed laws of heredity—a host of the divergent forms of its progenitors. To have "true to name" seeds—a pure strain of plants—the hybridist or the commercial seedsman must eliminate these divergent forms.

This operation is called "roguing." Several times during the growing season men are sent along the rows in the seedsman's fields to tear out ruthlessly every divergent form of plant—the "rogues" that differ perceptibly from the superior original plant.

Often in the blooming season this close inspection is done on hands and knees in a hot sun, and the seed stock is maintained at the standard of the original plant's color, shape, size, vigor and other qualities of flower and foliage. Under this treatment the rogues will, in successive seasons, become fewer and fewer, until finally they do not appear at all, and the new strain of seeds is regarded as established. Until the strain is "fixed," a reliable seedsman will often state the percentage of true plants that may be expected from seeds of a new origination, or "novelty."

Selecting the Seed

AFTER the capable seedsman has secured the desired hereditary quality in his seeds, he begins to take careful measures to insure their high vitality. The seed must be thoroughly ripened. Seeds that have been harvested before they were mature on the plant will be of low vitality, and as the seeds in any one cluster ripen unevenly, and different clusters on the same plant did not mature together, seed selection is necessary to obtain stock that is of strong and uniform germinating quality.

In their wild state of growth it is a provident natural force, seeking the continuance of every plant, that causes each to ripen and drop its seeds over a relatively long period of time. But this does not make the exacting seed collector's task of gathering a viable product easy, for he must often resort to hand picking to have only ripened and superior seeds.

Germination is always the sure and final test of seed vitality and may be used as a test by anyone concerned. Testing is accomplished by applying moisture and the equal of Summer heat to a given count of seeds laid between double thicknesses of insoluble blotting paper or of absorbent cloths.

Testing for Germination

WITH good seeds of most common flowers and vegetables, germination occurs quickly, usually within five to twenty-one days. Recently it has been discovered that daylight falling on seeds after they are thoroughly dampened has a pronounced effect in hastening and increasing germination. So just before testing for germination, or actually planting, it is advisable to moisten seeds with water and expose them to several hours of daylight.

As a further insurance for success, expert cultivators sterilize seeds before planting. Seeds carry known plant diseases both internally and externally. Ten minutes' immersion of seeds just before planting in a 1-1,000 solution of corrosive sublimate (one tablet to every pint of water at sixty degrees F.), or in a 1-240 solution of formaldehyde for the same time at the same temperature, will purge them of parasites. After the use of either solution the seeds are carefully washed or rinsed in fresh water before being put into the ground.

It is a distressing experience to see a grand herbaceous plant in full bloom suddenly wither off at the roots. A good way to trap wireworms, the usual cause of this destruction, is to insert pieces of potato into the soil round plants not yet touched. After a few days the potatoes should be examined, and, if they show signs of worm-holes, they should be removed and burned.

At times, and in certain places, ants can work ruin to plants, particularly to those with shallow roots, such as pinks. When a nest has been discovered, make a hole under it, and the threatened plant by sticking an iron bar into the ground at an angle. Put a lump of calcium carbide into this, and close it up. The moisture in the soil will act on the carbide, and liberate the gas, which will work havoc among the ants, though it will not hurt the plants.

Keeping Soil "Open" and What the Term Means

WHEN describing the preparation of potting soil, it is a prevalent custom to recommend proportions of loam, peat, leaf mould, etc., and wind up with the phrase, sufficient sharp sand to keep the soil open. That word "open" has an important meaning. Loam varies very widely in character; it may be nearly all soil of a somewhat heavy nature, or it may be full of root fibre and light, sandy soil. Leaf mould may consist of flakes of dead, partially rotten leaves, or it may be black mould, formed by leaves which have reached an advanced stage of decay.

If heavy loam and black leaf mould are mixed together, pressed firmly in a pot, and soaked with water, the particles will settle down close together and make a pasty mass. When the moisture dries out, the soil will harden in a solid block. Air cannot penetrate such a body of soil, and water cannot percolate freely through it and drain away. In such case, roots of plants can make no healthy progress.

A liberal addition of sharp silver sand, evenly distributed through the whole of the compost, would keep the particles of loam and leaf mould from binding so tightly together and that is termed an open condition.

Loam which has plenty of root fibre and flaky leaf mould or granulated peat will make a mixture which can keep itself open, consequently, sand is unnecessary, and a large addition of it would be actually harmful, because it would add to the looseness of texture, and allow water to run away too freely. It is wrong, therefore, to use sand in the same proportion in all kinds of potting soil. If, when compost is mixed, a handful squeezed tightly will remain in a solid lump when dropped on the bench, it is too binding, and requires a liberal addition of sand. If the mixture, well damped, will crumble easily after squeezing in the hand it is open enough without added sand.

Irradiation of Fruits and Vegetables

INTERESTING experiments are being conducted by Soviet scientists into electrification of plants and seeds. Two research workers recently told the Soviet Academy of Science what they had discovered about the effect of high-frequency currents on fruits and vegetables. Their apparatus was a little ultra short-wave radio set which could inundate vegetation with electric energy. The exposures of the rays varied from one second to three minutes.

Cucumbers irradiated were in good condition after three days, but half the controls wilted. After six days 75 per cent of the irradiated cucumbers were still sound, but only 37.5 per cent of the controls were healthy, 37.5 per cent were wilted and 25 per cent rotten. Irradiated cucumbers lost weight less rapidly than the controls. When the period of exposure was increased to a minute and longer the wilting was more marked than for the controls.

For apples, too, one second seemed to be the right period of exposure. Seventy-three per cent of the batch kept for one month. Controls all succumbed. When the period of irradiation was increased to as long as ninety seconds the apples that were still good after thirty days had been reduced by 40 to 50 per cent. On the whole the results with pears were similar.

The most striking effect was obtained with electrified tomatoes. They ripened more rapidly than untreated controls. The only explanation is that the biochemical process must have been accelerated in their case.

Many of the hardy annuals should go into the ground as soon as it is workable. Zinnias, petunias, salvias and marigolds are a few for early seeding.

Garden Week by Week

By NORMAN W. F. RANT, F.R.H.S.

THERE are two distinct kinds of water lilies, the hardy ones and the tropical ones, which are not hardy. The hardy kinds are planted and left outside all Winter, whereas the tropical kind must be taken up and stored in a frostproof place.

It is quite possible to grow water lilies in tubs, but if this is done the dwarfer and smaller-leafed varieties should be chosen, because a tub does not provide sufficient room for the larger-growing sorts. Besides, the plant food is apt to become exhausted and the plants fail.

The growing of water lilies in ponds is simply a matter of having a good watertight pond. The construction of this has been described many times, but it is advisable to employ an expert for the making of a pond, as there are many pitfalls into which the amateur constructor is apt to fall.

About fifteen inches of water should stand above the crowns of the plant. The soil for water lilies should be very rich, and a depth of from one to two feet of it should be provided. It is best to plant the water lilies in boxes about two feet square and as deep as possible up to two feet.

Water lilies should be planted in the Spring. Right now is a good time. Fill the boxes with the richest possible soil and plant the lilies in this and sink the boxes in the pond by means of some heavy stones placed upon them. Let there be twelve inches of water above the boxes.

Kinds of Lilies

OF the hardy water lilies or, to give them their proper name, hardy Nymphaeas, called after Nymphe, the Greek goddess of springs, there are many varieties and species. The common white one is known as Nymphaea alba. This has large flowers and requires plenty of room. Tuberosa alba is another good white, while Tuberosa Richardsonii is a double white. Marliacea alba is ivory white with golden anthers. Marliacea carnea is a very large sweet-scented kind with flesh-colored flowers. Marliacea rosea is a rich rose color.

Some of the finer varieties are: Comanche, which is a brilliant, glowing amber-red; Paul Hariot, orange pink; Solfaterre, yellow and rose; and Sioux, copper red.

Among the pinks, the following will be found among the best: Rosey Arey, the best of the cheaper pinks, a good rose-pink; Splendida, a wonderful strawberry color; Venusta, bright pink, and Morning Glory, soft shell pink.

There are several good red water lilies in the hardy class, such as Robin sent, the best of the cheaper reds; Conqueror, a huge red flower, sometimes eight inches across; Gloriosa, a fine red, and Lucida, a warm red.

There are not many yellow hardy water lilies, but Marliace is the best of the low-priced ones. Chromatella is yellow, and Sunrise and Moorei are all good.

There is no hardy blue water lily.

Small Flowers

AMONG the small-flowering water lilies (hardy) which are suitable for tubs and small ponds, the following should be considered: Yellow Pygmy, a perfect miniature yellow; Pink Laydeker, a tiny jewel-like flower and White Laydeker, a perfect little white.

There is a class of water lilies which are said to be hardy, at least in California. They are known as the star lilies. There is a pink, a red and white. The writer has never tried these, and can only pass on what the raiser says about them.

Some people will like to try growing the tropical water lilies, even though they have to be brought in during the Winter. Among those recommended on account of their beautiful colors are: Panama Pacific, a fine dark blue; August Koch, deep blue; General Pershing, a huge pink; Mrs. Edward Whitaker, a giant blue; Mrs. George H. Pring, a very large white, and Blue Triumph, blue, and often over a foot across.

The Sacred Lotus of the Nile is often classed as a water lily. It has fine pink flowers. It is not hardy.

Dwarf Annual Flowers for Garden Edgings

THERE are many dwarf annuals good for edgings besides sweet alyssum and ageratum, provided one wants a change from these two favorites entirely. Most of them have been developed by breeding taller flowers to produce dwarf, compact bushes.

There are now several varieties of dwarf marigolds which grow only four to six inches high. They have rangy branches which make a wider edging than alyssum, but are no less attractive for the purpose. Zinnias of the lilliput or midget strains are excellent. They are taller than the marigolds, but are more useful in that they can be used for cutting. The tiny blossoms seem to stand as straight as their huge relatives, and have proportionately long stems, making them ideal flowers for small decorative cut flower arrangements.

Gilia tricolor is another rare and handsome little edging plant. Its tiny cups produced in great profusion are pale lilac, shading to yellow in the centre with purple spots. It grows only seven inches tall.

Blue lobelias with their bushy growth and profuse amount of tiny blossoms are one of the best. Many of them grow only four inches high, and continue their sheet of color throughout a long season.

The dwarf candytufts are rivals of the alyssum for snowy whiteness as well as providing beautiful shades of lilac and carmine. The dainty blue, rose and white daisies of the Swan River variety, brachycome, are material for an airy border for more robust plants, and are deserving of more use.

For colored foliage, the golden ball feverfew gives brilliant effect with the dusty millers for grey contrasts. The tufted pansies or bedding violas are used lavishly in many gardens as edging or carpeting plants. They are more compact in growth than pansies, with longer stems and more flowers to a plant, while the range of colors is much the same. The self colors give the finest effect.

There is a blue dwarf of the centarria family that has a neat and compact growth. It grows up to nine inches. Leptosiphon French hybrid is another free-flowering annual that makes good edging, or can be used in the rock garden.

Don't neglect the ageratum or sweet alyssum when you order your edging flowers, but choose two or more others this year for variety.

"Memoirs of Joseph Grimaldi"

By C. C. Pemberton

The foregoing review of Memoirs of Grimaldi was prepared by Mr. Pemberton and read, as a paper, at a recent meeting of the Victoria Dickens Fellowship.—Ed.

ALL the incidents in the life of Charles Dickens must now be viewed in the retrospect, and in this respect they are at present receiving much attention.

The editing of the memoirs cannot be regarded as a literary effort by Charles Dickens, for these "memoirs" were written by Thomas Egerton Wilks. Forster tells us that the editing was done for Bently, and that Dickens regarded Wilks' writings as "twaddle." Forster also informs us that that Dickens in referring to the first week's sale of the memoirs put no less than thirty notes of exclamation after the information: "Seventeen hundred Grimaldis have already been sold and the demand increases daily."

I have in my possession a small volume, "Memoirs of Joseph Grimaldi," edited by "Boz" (Charles Dickens). It belongs to Nicholsons' Standard Series, and is published by William Nicholson & Sons, London. No date of publication is given. It appears, however, to be fairly recent and has one illustration by Cruikshank showing Grimaldi rushing by in a coach from Sadlers Wells to Covent Garden to keep his two engagements for the same evening and being followed by a cheering crowd of admirers.

The Introduction

I WILL now give you some quotations from the introductory chapter of book with the object of showing what Dickens thought of the subject matter of the memoirs and why he edited them etc.

Introductory chapter: Dickens opens with a reference to his own childhood delight in clowns, harlequins, pantaloons, columbines, etc., whom he believed to be real persons. He says that when he heard that Grimaldi had left memoirs he was in a fever until he had read the book, and that as soon as it was placed in his hands he sat down and read every word of it.

Dickens supplies the information that Grimaldi had, during the last year of his life, been engaged in preparing a full account of his own life, and that this account was being put into shape as memoirs by Mr. Wilks, who had condensed and expunged a considerable portion of Grimaldi's material and, at the same time had interspersed, here and there, the substance of anecdotes which he had gleaned in personal conversations with Grimaldi. While Wilks was engaged in finishing the memoirs Grimaldi died. Dickens continued to relate that after the memoirs had been completed by Wilks they were sold by Grimaldi's executor to the publisher for whom he, Dickens, acted as editor.

Commenting on the material contained in the memoirs, Dickens says that he was much struck with several incidents related therein, such as Grimaldi's infancy, the burglary, the brother's return from the sea under such extraordinary circumstances, the adventure with the man with two fingers on his left hand, the account of Mackintosh and his friends, and many others.

Sketch of Memoirs

I WILL give a short sketch of the contents of the memoirs.

Grimaldi's paternal grandfather was a celebrated dancer known to the French and Italian public. He came to England and was known as "Iron Legs" on account of his strength and agility in dancing. Grimaldi's father was born in Genoa, and came to England in 1760 and was appointed dentist to Queen Charlotte. As well as being a dentist he also taught dancing, and finally devoted himself exclusively to the profession of teacher of dancing. Dickens, in the preface remarks: "In those days of minuets and cotillions, dancing was a much more serious and laborious affair than it is at present, and the younger branches of the nobility kept Mr. Grimaldi in pretty constant occupation." At the time of the "Gordon Riots" householders were putting up the signs, "No Popery," on their buildings as protection against attack by the mob. Grimaldi, Sr., erected a large sign, "No Religion at All," and his place was not molested.

Joseph Grimaldi was born December 18, 1779, when his father was seventy years old, and two years later his only brother was born. When two years and nine months old Joe Grimaldi was brought out as a tumbler at the Old Drury. He made a hit at once and was called "Clever Little Joe," and "Joe" he was called to the last days of his life. In 1782 he came out at Sadlers Wells as a monkey and was a great success, being put at once on the strength of the company at both houses.

A Stern Parent

JOE'S father was a fond parent, but a severe disciplinarian, giving heavy whippings for any disobedience or naughtiness. He would promise the whipping at the time, but postpone its delivery, often for months, when he would suddenly, at the moment when the child was happy, recall the offence and inflict drastic punishment. Joe's father died in 1788. He left a fortune of £15,000 to be divided between his two sons when they respectively came of age. The executor of the will, however, made away with the money and absconded.

The mother was then left penniless with her two sons to support. Mrs. Grimaldi had good friends. Sheridan, then proprietor of Drury Lane, raised Joe's salary, unasked, to one pound a week and permitted his mother, who had been a dancer from her infancy, to accept a similar position at Sadlers Wells. At Sadlers Wells they continued to employ Joe, but cut his salary down to fifteen shillings a week. This was Grimaldi's start in life, but he worked hard and gradually made his way until he became famous. The memoirs are filled with incidents in the life of this wonderful man. He received education through the kindness of friends and was always sincere and trustworthy in all the relations of life. The volume is replete with facts relative to the theatrical world of those days. Royalty, frequenters of the green room, well-known actors and theatrical people are mentioned. The pantomime, spectacle, harlequin, etc., are touched upon, and much information is supplied about those kinds of theatricals and mirth-giving entertainments of the early Victorian days. A good paper on subjects of this kind could be written from perusal of the memoirs. Grimaldi had many plays and theatrical pieces written for him, or adapted for him to perform. It would be interesting to make a list of these pieces, plays, etc., and see how many of them are now known or ever heard of. Grimaldi was certainly a famous man in his day. Like Dickens, he was a hard and conscientious worker, and as clown, etc., filling sometimes two engagements in one night, his work was most fatiguing.

Was Twice Married

GRIMALDI was twice married.—In reading the account of the first marriage one might think it was David and Dora, with a Mrs. Willis, an actress, as Miss Mills. Unlike poor little doting Dora, Grimaldi's first wife was a woman of parts. It was a love match and they were wrapped up in each other. On his wife's early and sudden death Grimaldi was prostrated with grief. His friends feared that Grimaldi would be unfit for appearance on the stage. They were mistaken, however. From earliest infancy he had been used to a dual existence—on and off the stage. Grief-stricken and prostrated off the stage, the moment Grimaldi appeared before the footlights he was "the maddest, merriest fellow," absolutely surpassing himself in tumblings, antics and grimaces. His immense audiences, while they shook their sides with laughter and thundered out their applause and approbation, little realized the aching heart of the producer of the merriment. Grimaldi married a second time, to an actress who had been kind to him when he was unwell. This was also a happy marriage, and one son was born who was the idol of the parents.

The boy did well and went on the stage as a clown. He was a very great success from the first and appeared to have a bright future in store, but took to dissipation. He deserted his parents when they became penniless and never came near them. After Grimaldi became paralyzed and was in indigent circumstances, the escapades of this unworthy son were a great trial to both his parents. The son developed a disease and died. The mother's heart was nearly broken and she died soon afterwards.

—Photos by J. H. Grant

NIGHT SCENES IN VICTORIA

The Two Views Show a Section of Douglas Street (Left) and (Right) a View of the Belmont Building and the Searchlight Tower on the Service Station at the North End of the Causeway.

Earned Good Money

GRIMALDI had earned plenty of money, but had lived comfortably. He apparently had no vices and was temperate in his habits. He was rather guileless and trusting, and was often overreached and lost money in consequence. He acted in the provinces, in Scotland, and made two visits to Ireland—one by coach and sailing vessel and the second by steamer and train. He put the best that was in him into everything he did, and leading such a strenuous life, wore him out at an early age. He was not only famous, but was also beloved by all his co-workers and the public—high and low alike. This was shown when he became disabled. He was given bumper benefits and was not allowed to become entirely penniless. There was a secret charitable society called The Drury Lane and Covent Garden Theatrical Fund. This allowed Grimaldi one hundred pounds a year, but he also received anonymous donations from time to time. Grimaldi spent much time on his memoirs and hoped to live long enough to see them in print. In this he was disappointed. He died on May 31, 1837, in his fifty-eighth year.

Dickens Impressed

AS previously mentioned, Dickens had been much impressed by several of the incidents described in the memoirs, such as: "Grimaldi's Infancy," "The Burglary," "The Brother's Return From the Sea and Extraordinary Disappearance," "The Man With Two Bent Fingers" and "Macintosh and His Friends." These experiences are certainly extraordinary, and the editing of the book must have enlightened Dickens on the social conditions prevailing previous to the date of his birth and aided him in writing his two historical works, namely "Barnaby Rudge" and "Tale of Two Cities."

I will now give you two extracts from the memoirs, one which shows the father's severity towards his little son; the other gives an idea of the facility with which Grimaldi could make people laugh.

With reference to the first, I may explain that when the father was going on the stage he always left his little son standing in a corner under threat of severe punishment if he moved! The following extract shows what did happen when the son disobeyed, viz.:

"The Earl of Derby, who was at that time in the constant habit of frequenting the green-room, happened to walk in at the moment, and seeing a lonesome-looking little boy dressed up and painted after a manner very inconsistent with his solitary air, good-naturedly called him toward him. 'Hello! here, my boy, come here!' said the Earl.

"Joe made a wonderful and astonishing face, but remained where he was. The Earl laughed heartily and looked around for an explanation.

"'He dare not move!' explained Miss Barron, to whom His Lordship was then much attached, and whom he afterwards married, 'his father will beat him if he does.'

"'Indeed, said His Lordship.' At which Joe, by way of confirmation, made another face more extraordinary than his former contortions.

"'I think,' said His Lordship, laughing again, 'the boy is not quite so much afraid of his father as you suppose. Come here, sir.' With this he held up a half-crown, and the child, well knowing the value of money, darted from his corner, seized it with pantomimic suddenness, and was darting back again, when the Earl seized him by the arm. 'Here, Joe,' said the Earl, 'take off your wig and throw it in the fire and here's another half-crown for you.' No sooner said that done. Off came the wig—into the fire it went; a roar of laughter arose; the child capered about with a half-crown in each hand, the Earl, alarmed at the consequences to the boy, busied himself to extricate the wig with the tongs and poker; and the father, in full dress for 'The Shipwrecked Mariner,' rushed into the room at the same moment. It was lucky for 'Little Joe' that Lord Derby promptly and humanely interfered."

Given a Beating

AS it was, the matter could not be compromised without his receiving a smart beating which made him cry very bitterly, and the tears running down his face, which was painted "an inch thick," came to the "complexion at last," in parts, and made him look as much like a little clown as like a little human being, to neither of which characters he bore the least resemblance. He was called at most immediately afterwards, and the father, being in a violent rage, had not noticed the circumstance until the little object came on the stage, when a roar of general laughter directed his attention to his grotesque appearance. Becoming more violent than before, he fell on him at once and beat him severely, and the child roared vociferously. This was all taken by the audience as a capital joke. Shouts of laughter and peals of applause shook the house, and the newspapers next morning declared that it was perfectly wonderful to see a mere child perform so naturally, and highly creditable to his father's talents as a teacher! Dickens adds: "This is no bad illustration of some of the miseries of a poor actor's life. The jest on the lip and the tear in the eye; the merriment of the mouth and the aching of the heart; have called down the same shouts of laughter and peals of applause a hundred times. Characters in a state of starvation are almost invariably laughed at on the stage—the audiences have had their dinner."

The second act is self-explanatory, viz.:

Shaved by Girl

ON the second day after Grimaldi arrived in Preston, a little circumstance occurred which amused him so much that he intended to have introduced it into one of his pantomime scenes, although he never did so.

Observing a barber's pole projecting over the street and remembering that he wanted a shave, he opened the door and went in and found a pretty little girl of about sixteen. In reply to her enquiry as to what he wanted he asked for her master. She replied that he was out, but she expected him back shortly. Grimaldi departed and encountering a friend, a Mr. Howard, went off with him and later returned to the barber shop, but found the barber still absent. The girl asked if he wanted to see her father on particular business. Grimaldi replied that he wanted a shave, and was informed by the girl that she did most of the shaving for her father, and Howard added that he had often been shaved by the girl.

Grimaldi sat down in the chair and the girl commenced the task in a very businesslike manner. He felt an irresistible tendency to laugh at the oddity of the situation, but smothered it by a great effort while the girl was shaving his chin. At length, when she got to his upper lip, and took his nose between her fingers with a piece of brown paper, he could stand it no longer, but burst into a tremendous roar of laughter and made a face at Howard, which the girl no sooner saw that she dropped the razor and laughed immoderately also, whereat Howard began to laugh too. This only set Grimaldi laughing more, when just at this moment in came the barber, who, seeing three people in convulsions of mirth, one of them with a soapy face and gigantic mouth making most extravagant faces over a white towel, threw himself into a chair without ceremony and, dashing his hat on the ground, laughed louder than any of them, declaring in broken words as he could find breath to utter them, that "that gentleman as was being shaved was the funniest gentleman he had ever seen," and entreating him to "stop them faces, or he knew he should die." When they were all perfectly exhausted the barber finished what his daughter had begun, and, rewarding the daughter with a shilling, Grimaldi and Mr. Howard took their leave."

Fame of Grimaldi

GRIMALDI'S fame is being perpetuated in the encyclopaedias. Encyclopaedia Brittannica, 1929, says of Grimaldi:

"Grimaldi, Joseph (1779-1837).—Most celebrated of English clowns, was born in London in December, 1779, the son of an Italian actor. When less than two years old he was brought upon Drury Lane stage; at the age of three he appeared at Sadlers Wells and he did not retire until 1828. As a clown of the pantomime he was considered without equal, his greatest success being in 'Mother Goose,' at Covent Garden, 1806, and often revived. His memoirs (two vols.) were edited by Charles Dickens."

It is interesting to note that the first issue was in two volumes.

The New International Encyclopaedia, New York, 1918, contains the following reference to Grimaldi:

"Grimaldi, Joseph (1779-1837).—The best-known representative of the clown in English pantomime. His father, was an actor of Italian parentage, and 'little Joe,' who was born in London, 1779, appeared when scarcely two years old at Sadlers Wells theatre, where he regularly performed (except for one season) down to the date of his retirement from the stage, prematurely worn out by sheer hard work. For several months each year he used to perform nightly at two different playhouses, and once he achieved the feat of acting at three on the same night. At times he played in regular drama, but as a clown he was considered inimitable. His performance in the pantomime of 'Mother Goose' (1806) was many times repeated. At the conclusion of his last appearance, which was 'Harlequin Hoax,' in his benefit at Drury Lane (1828), he made a lengthy but dignified farewell address. He died in London, May 31, 1837. Consult: 'Memoirs of Joseph Grimaldi,' edited by Charles Dickens, New York, 1838."

From the time of his first success, Dickens had suffered from plagiarism and literary piracy, and the reference "Consult 'Memoirs of Joseph Grimaldi,' edited by Charles Dickens, New York, 1838," shows that the reprinting of the memoirs by Americans in 1838 was one of the piracies which so greatly chagrined Dickens on his American tour of 1842.

In closing, I may remark that the "Memoirs" are of one whose mission on earth had been, from earliest infancy, that of providing the public with perfectly pure and harmless joy and merriment.

This Week's Best Books

By LIBRARY SERVICE

AS a change from the technical works that have been listed in this column during the past weeks, we have listed below some books that are of a more popular nature. Music lovers, especially, will welcome a biography of Arturo Toscanini, while a book such as "I Discover the English" is sure to find many delighted readers. For those who wish to keep up with the trend of affairs in Europe, "What Next in Europe?" by Sir Arthur Willert, is a timely suggestion.

"I Discover the English," by Odette Keun. Who, better than an irreverent French visitor, could discover the English to themselves? Madame Keun has studied social conditions in most of the important cities of Europe and has worked in the slums of London. What she has to say, though it may be disguised by the Gallic playfulness of her style, is founded on shrewd observation and experience. Her book is good, kind, flattering and candid—and irresistible. Madame Keun has discovered the English. It is to be hoped that a very large number of English will discover Madame Keun.

"Arturo Toscanini," by Paul Stefan. The author is a German critic of distinction—ardent, though a German, and unbounded in his admiration of Toscanini. There are portraits of surpassing excellence and what might be considered a series of moving pictures of the maestro in action at rehearsal. There is little in Toscanini's outward career to inspire rhapsody. He has been singularly modest and retiring. The author recognizes the difficulty of conveying in words the extraordinary effect of his musical performances, nevertheless he has performed his labor of love with discretion as well as devotion.

"What Next in Europe?" by Sir Arthur Willert. Acting upon Mr. Baldwin's famous statement that "the frontiers of England are on the Rhine," the author set out to visit these frontiers. His trip took him through Germany, Austria, Czechoslovakia, Poland and Danzig. This book, the result of his observations and conversations en route, is a survey of the mind of Europe today. Particularly is attention paid to the German attitude, but there are sidelights also on Italy and the Ethiopian situation, and concluding chapters on the role of England and prescriptions for peace. It is an unpretentious but interesting and sane book. For the layman the book should be a pleasure to read, and its measured optimism is justified not so much by its analysis and sound observation, as by the author's faith in the ultimate sanity of ordinary peoples.

"The Texas Rangers," by W. P. Webb, is a comprehensive history of the Texas Rangers from 1835, when they were organized during the Texas revolution against Mexico, to 1935, when they were absorbed in a larger organization. It is a great tale of bold adventure, a warmly colored story of frontier justice, and an account of the exploits of some amazingly courageous men, as well as a piece of historical detective work full of extraordinary unpublished material and sound deductions. These men "combined the fighting qualities of three races; they could ride like Mexicans, trail like Indians, shoot like Tennesseans and fight like the devil." The author, who is professor of history at the University of Texas, has spent years in research and has lived in camp with the rangers and heard their stories from their own lips.

"Quack, Quack," by L. S. Woolf. One of the ablest of English men of letters and political thinkers, Mr. Woolf in his latest volume brings all the vigor of his excellent prose to bear upon what he sees as the quackery of modern politics and intellectual life. His book is in every way a welcome counter-offensive against the present day forces of reaction, irrationality and obscurantism. There is good psychological analysis in his work, mordant humor, and a wealth of historical parallels. Despite its brevity it is an extraordinarily brilliant job. Too close-packed with ideas for any adequate summary, Mr. Woolf's book is immensely suggestive and shrewd.

"Legend of Saint Columba," by Padraic Colum, is the retelling of the legend of the life and miracles of St. Columba who lived in sixth century Ireland and founded many churches and monasteries there and in Scotland. One of the chief charms of the book is the vivid picture of mediaeval Ireland it presents. It has a quality of reality and yet the story is told with imagination. As a book for the young it is particularly good because it makes information interesting, not by sugar-coating it, but by telling it skillfully. There is to be gleaned from it such a wealth of detail about costume and manner of living, about monasteries and poets' guilds, that it would make good supplementary reading for those studytng history.

"Colonial Captivities, Marches and Journeys," edited by I. M. Calder. This is made up of selections of extracts from hitherto unpublished journals, surveys and letters, all bearing upon the struggle of the English and French colonists to possess the interior of North America. The extracts are arranged under the headings: "Military Captivities," "Economic Servitude," "Marches," "Journeys." The years covered are from 1745 to 1771. As a whole this book is valuable for its sidelights. It has entertaining passages, but does not aspire to general popularity. It is a very human document not quite 200 years old, a window opened upon men and events.

New works of fiction added recently include:

"Son of Marietta," by J. Fabricus. A translation from the Dutch, this novel is a close rival of "Anthony Adverse," both in length and style.

"Golden Lady," by Dorothy Gardiner. This is a Litterary Guild selection.

"South Riding," by Winifred Holtby. Published after the author's death, this work of Miss Holtby's is receiving great praise from the critics. It has a political slant, and depicts life in Yorkshire, as the title implies.

"Conquering Seas," by L. Luard. A sea story of life on a trawler in the North Sea.

"My Own Native Land," by Thyra Winslow, is a volume of short stories and sketches picturing life in a small southwestern town.

By MARION ISABEL ANGUS

"The Golden Lady" (Doubleday, Doran & Co., Inc.), by Dorothy Gardiner. This epic of Colorado mining days has been selected as its April choice by the Literary Guild, and although characters and incidents are purely fictitious the story is laid in settings that actually existed and follows the history of Colorado's mining development during the past fifty years. The author, herself a descendant of the sturdy pioneers, who carved a path westward, has experienced what she describes; she has known the giddy prosperity of boom days in mining camp, and the subsequent stagnation that follows the ebb of fortune; she has visited the Old World, so that impressions it leaves upon Vannie Swenk are told with authenticity, and in addition, she knows people, for she has filled her canvas with characters that are real and intensely individual.

Carlotta, who at one stage of life had been known as the Leadville Lily, was determined that her unborn child, if a girl, should become a lady, not a child of the mining camps. The child was a girl—Evantha Aurelia Swenk, but more often known as Vannie—and in pursuit of her ambition, Carlotta went steadily forward, not realizing that Vannie would never escape the ties that bound her to Duke's Gulch, and to the Golden Lady, a mine high on the hillside and given to Vannie by Tandy Hicklin, Boston remittance man. Carlotta was not assisted in her efforts to make Vannie a lady by her husband, Pompey Swenk, professional gambler, so in an effort to achieve that chimerical ideal she took in washing to pay the taxes on the Golden Lady, which one day had shown a sign of gold, and would ultimately, Carlotta felt, achieve Vannie's freedom from the gulch.

Vannie grew to womanhood, carefully shielded by her mother from adolescent love affairs. She was a beautiful, half-awakened creature when she attracted the attention of Eliot Trask, the rich mine owner, and Carlotta's ambitions seemed fulfilled when Eliot, connoisseur and elegant, married Vannie. Riches and social position were hers. Eliot a good taste provided the proper setting for her beauty. In spite of these things, Vannie was not really happy, and at one time made a futile effort to seize happiness when she thought she was in love with Frewe Volmer, the artist. Yet so complex is life that her intended elopement was frustrated by the death of Aaron Down, leader of striking miners, and Vannie found herself taking a positive stand for the first time in her life.

Later followed long years with Eliot as a semi-invalid, and Vannie bound to him by ties of affection and gratitude. Eliot's death set her free—or so she supposed—and she went to England. On the way over she met Hod Timberton, who invited her to visit his father and aunt. At this time, Vannie was preparing to sell all the mines Eliot had owned, but accidentally she learned of the value of the mines in respect to tungsten, a necessity when the Great War broke out, and cancelled her orders to sell.

Although she loved Hod, she refused to marry him, and he went to war and she returned to Colorado and another boom. This boom brought her even greater riches, but was followed by extreme sorrow, and life went on until the great crash and Vannie found herself stripped of everything—everything but the elusive, ever-beckoning Golden Lady that had so often lured her with falsey promises of gold.

This book is decidedly worth while.

"Marriage Is Possible" (Farrar & Rinehart), by Margaret Widdemer. Marriage is possible. So said Sheila Lonsdale blithely on her wedding day, little realizing that fate was preparing to tangle six lives in a most disturbing way.

Sheila herself was in love with Jack Whitton and he with her, yet before the honeymoon started a faint cloud rose on the matrimonial horizon. It started in fact just before the wedding when Vevie Nolan, Westchester's—well—notorious girl, arrived with a gift and such an appealing, wistful attitude that Sheila's mother found herself asking the undesirable Vevie to come to the wedding." This was what Vevie wanted, for she had made up her mind to entangle Morton, Sheila's dreamy brother, who was in love with Amy Courtright, although he did not realize it.

Both Amy and Morton were unawakened, and Morton fell a ready victim to the kittenish wiles of Vevie, while Amy was swept off her feet by the impetuous wooing of Peter Santini, "a cross between a dynamo and a Renaissance prince," and married him a week after meeting him at Sheila's wedding. Morton "compromised" Vevie, and insisted on marrying her, and Vevie's definite projection into the scheme of things jeopardized the beauty and permanence of Sheila's marriage. Morton was not financially able to support Vevie, and in a generous moment, Jack invited Morton and Vevie to live with Sheila and himself until a economic adjustment had been reached.

In the meantime, Amy, carried on a crest of passion and gaiety and material loveliness, found her "Renaissance prince" was very human, but she was too much of a thoroughbred to criticize him, even when he asked her to make a sacrifice that no right-minded woman would consider.

Jealousy, auspicion and unfaithfulness form a dark contrast against the brighter threads of loyalty and tolerance, and the whole forms an interesting study of modern marriages and its problems, especially when the people involved possess different upbringings to complicate things.

"A Visit to America" (Macmillans), by A. G. Macdonell. This Scotch writer possesses quite a nice sense of humor, which a fortuitous visit to America enables him to exercise. He explains that the reason most British writers are so vitriolic about the United States is entirely due to the hospitality of Americans. The British writers comes to New York, prepared to spend three months in earnest study and investigation. But does he? Not he—or she. Three weeks later he (or she) manages to totter aboard ship, the victim of too many cocktails, too many parties and too much intensive living generally. Sick and liverish he (the author) relieves his pent-up emotions by a vitriolic diatribe against Americans—and the fat is in the fire.

Mr. Macdonell himself had definite plans for his American tour but forty-three minutes ere he arrived in New York he found himself in the midst of a little party (just two hundred guests). He was very thankful it was such a small party, and he was equally thankful that the crowd didn't feel like staying up very late that night (it was only 4 a.m. when he returned to his hotel). Otherwise he might have had a real night of New York life!

He discusses New York (what he saw of it), Baltimore, which he liked, Chicago (one imagines he was rather disappointed that the gangsters were taking a few days off during his visit), the farming country of the Middle West, where he makes some pertinent remarks about the pioneers choice of names, and is also—against his better judgment—inveigled into seeing Omaha's stockyard.

He disperses the myth about Mormon polygamy and is overjoyed by the humor of a wrestling match. He discusses the drink question as he encounters it in various states, and being a good Scotsman, he knows his liquor. Golf — football — Hollywood — most American phenomena are recorded in a humorous vein, including his final escape from "concentrated American hospitality." In conclusion, it might be added, that Mr. Macdonell refrained nobly from visiting either Niagara Falls or Grand Canyon. Probably the only British author who has refrained.

These Radio Announcers Have Difficult Task of Interpretations

ONE of the most difficult tasks of interpreting is that carried out by the experts at the French state wireless station when a speech by a foreigner in being relayed in the French language.

The interpreter who listens in to orators in other laguages and reproduces in French what they are saying as he goes along has to be more than an interpreter—he is an actor as well. With headphones over his ears and a microphone before him, he speaks as he listens, following phrase by phrase without ever getting tripped up. In fact, so expressive is the translation that even if the words could not be heard the speech could be followed by the broadcaster's expression. He roars as the original speaker roars, whispers when he whispers, becomes threatening, cajoling, humorous or serious as the man to whom he is listening changes tone.

Immediate interpretations and relays are provided from four languages—German, Spanish, English and Italian. The hardest task of the interpreters recently was to relay Chancellor Adolf Hitler's speech on the reoccupation of the Rhineland.

Putting over the air into French a speech in German, where the verb often comes at the very end of a sentence, calls for the highest degree of ability. For more than an hour without a break the interpreter had to strain every nerve to get the exact meaning of the German phrases and to reproduce them in faultless French at one hearing.

And with the speech went the imitation—the magic voice of Hitler, with which he has swayed even those most hostile to his ideas. As Hitler became sonorous, so the French version became sonorous, as he became pleading or mellow, so the French version changed, and as he thundered to a climax, the graceful French tongue seemed to have taken on the harsh, pounding quality of the German.

Great Britain and the Dominions Overseas

Income Tax Law Chaotic Mess to All but Experts

Codification Committee Takes Eight and a Half Years to Send in Report—Covent Garden Porters Not So Strong—Big Ben's Time Declared All Wrong

By GLANVILLE CAREW

LONDON (BUP).—Just eight-and-a-half years ago the Government of the day set up an Income Tax Codification Committee; its mission was to simplify the present chaotic mess of Income Tax regulations and law. It was thought that when the man-in-the street was called upon, as he is today, to give up anything from twenty to sixty per cent of his income to the State he was at the very least entitled to a reasonably clear and coherent system governing his liability which a man of ordinary education and intelligence could understand.

The committee has now made its report. It starts off with this

"If the ordinary layman expects that the result of our labors will be to satisfy his aspirations for a short and simple code, he is doomed to grievous disappointment. The countless complications of modern life must inevitably be reflected in the complexity of the code which has to cope with them, for one code must cover them all . . . The intractable ambiguities of our language and our syntax lay traps for the draftsmen at every turn."

So that does not get us much further.

AN APPALLING TASK

Actually, the committee has had an appalling task. There are nearly 800 distinct provisions embodied in nineteen acts of Parliament. For more than 120 years the main foundation of income tax law has never been overhauled. It was laid in a day when conditions were utterly different from those of the present time; the limited liability company has not even been thought of. The language in which most of the statutory provisions in all these acts and the regulations under them are expressed is so intricate and obscure as to be frankly unintelligible.

For instance, the word "assessment" has eight different and conflicting meanings, and in one case three different meanings in one sentence.

So the net result of all the labor of the committee is that income tax law cannot be simplified to any material extent and after eight and a half years we are as we were, with every day seemingly piling intricacy upon intricacy.

However, what little simplification is suggested as possible is set forth in two tomes. One of these has 541 pages, 417 sections and eight schedules; the other is a neat little thing of a mere 285 pages. The proposals, if adopted, will be embodied in the second longest act of Parliament ever passed by our Parliament. It will be surpassed only by the India Act of 478 sections and sixteen schedules. And the two tomes weigh nearly three pounds.

LIABILITY UNAFFECTED

There is at least one remark in the report which is unhappily intelligible to us all. "This report will leave substantially unaffected the liability of the taxpayer."

Still harping on the income tax. The first time income tax as we know it was levied (by Pitt) was in 1806. It was necessary to finance incessant war, mainly against France. It continued until the peace of 1816 which followed Waterloo. It was then abolished—as most people thought and all hoped—for good and all.

However, in 1842, Peel, casting about for revenue, thought of the dead income tax, and with what may have been either great courage or great desperation he brought it back to life. The opposition was terrific. We were not so official-ridden as we are now. Brougham did his best to have all data on which the original tax was based, destroyed. This is what a famous historian says about the feeling of 1842:

"It is hardly possible for us to realize the general horror in which this hated impost was then enveloped. The fact of Brougham procuring the destruction of all the public books and papers in which its odious accounts were recorded only illustrates the intensity of the common sentiment against the dire hydra evoked by Mr. Pitt for the destruction of the regicide power of France and sent back again to its limbo after the ruin of Napoleon."

PORTERS GETTING WEAKER

Most people have read what a famous English physician said about us the other day: "We are rapidly becoming a O.3. nation."

It may or may not be the case—the physician should know—but it should still be kept in mind that we take a queer pleasure in running ourselves down.

Anyhow, of all people the Covent Garden porters are providing evidence to support the doctor. The porters of Covent Garden—the famous market of London for vegetables and fruit and flowers—are now going to carry "three up and one under," instead of "four up and one under," which, being interpreted, means that in future they will carry only three baskets on their heads and one under the arm instead of the long customary four.

It is a matter of weight, not balance; the change means that a porter will henceforth carry a load of fifty-six pounds, as against the former seventy pounds.

The explanation is that Covent Garden has in recent years recruited a much better class of man than formerly, but he is not so strong. Many of the Covent Gar-

THREE LITTLE LIONS BORN ON THE STAGE

DIDSBURY, Manchester (BUP).—Sonia, a lioness in the Sanger Circus, astonished her keeper and the staff by giving birth to three little ones on the stage of a theatre here.

One of the cubs died. The other two, a male and a female, are in excellent health.

It all happened unknown to the audience, who were on the other side of the screen watching a comedy film.

AVIATION IN ITS BIG YEAR

Work to Be Had for Asking—Money Spent by Million

LONDON (BUP).—The greatest financial year in Britain's history of aviation is just starting. Between now and next April more than $132,500,000 will be spent on aviation alone.

Work for the right man is to be be had for the asking. There are not enough men to fill the positions vacant. Every pilot with the right licences has a post, every workman with skilled experience is drawing overtime pay, every designer with ideas is busy at a drawing-board.

The largest order for civil aircraft ever placed has been gained for the new Imperial Airways machines—craft that will span the Atlantic, halve times on the Empire air lanes.

THOUSANDS AT WORK

More than 2,000 men are at work in the Rochester works of Short Brothers, finishing the first batch of flying boats for this order. Another 3,000 are making the engines for them. Hundreds more are making the land planes for this order at Armstrong-Whitworths. The order amounts to $10,000,000.

The Government is spending $90,000,000 on the Royal Air Force expansion scheme. Every aircraft factory in the country is working to maximum capacity on this order. No more orders are being taken.

Australians Build Church In Fast Time

MELBOURNE (BUP).—In sixteen hours, 100 volunteer workers built a wooden church, thirty feet by twenty-two feet, and a kindergarten school, twenty-two feet by sixteen feet, at Black Rock, Melbourne.

The volunteers were members of the Y.M.C.A., who decided that they wanted a church and wanted it in a hurry. They had a carefully-timed schedule:

2 p.m.—Framework of roof set.
5 p.m.—Weatherboards and linings finished.
6 p.m.—Roof completed.
8 p.m.—Electric light, water and sewerage on.
9 p.m.—Church stained fumed oak color.
10 p.m.—Church finished with green carpets and hymn books.

The next day a congregation of 100 crowded for the first service, while a Sunday school was held in the kindergarten building. The cost was $2,500.

DELIVER LETTER AFTER 20 YEARS

LONDON (BUP).—A letter, stained with the mud of the Somme, and written by a soldier to his wife just before the great offensive in 1916, has just been delivered to her.

The letter was written during a lull in the German artillery bombardment in the dank cellar of a farmhouse at Hamel by Sergeant Thomas Harris, of the Royal Horse Artillery.

After lying in some unknown post office for twenty years, it has been delivered to Mrs. Harris, who now lives with her husband and their two children at Wokingham.

Offers Wealth for Sleep

Raibahadur Ramjidas Bajoria (above), wealthy Calcuttan, had his first sleep in twenty-seven months recently. It lasted twenty minutes. Bajoria recently offered to "enrich beyond wildest dreams" anyone able to make him sleep. Since then he has been deluged with suggestions from all parts of the world. Neither he nor those in his confidence would say whether the nap came as a result of the advice received. Bajoria is shown shortly before the strange illness came upon him.

Rochester May Be Air Service Port

A general view of the town of Rochester in Kent, taken from the top of Rochester Castle. In the near future Rochester may become the centre of a British network of flying-boat services. The natural port offered by the River Medway, and the freedom from fog in all seasons although only thirty miles from London, make Rochester an ideal depot for a world-wide flying-boat centre.

Christ Would Be Killed in Italy Bishop of London Says

LONDON (BUP).—The belief that Jesus Christ would be murdered again today in Italy or Germany was expressed by the Bishop of London, Dr. Winnington Ingram, in a sermon at St. Paul's Cathedral.

Let Him stand up in Italy and denounce the use of poison gas upon defenceless barbarians," said the Bishop, "and he would be at once imprisoned and probably shot as a traitor. Let Him stand in the Rhine country and denounce hatred and suspicion between nations, and he would probably be shot at by both sides."

Great Civil Airport At Singapore Now Nearing Completion

Will Be Largest East of Suez—Thirty Long-Distance Empire Airlines Are Expected to Use New Port Each Week

SINGAPORE (BUP).—"The Croydon of the East," with special facilities for Empire flying boats, is nearing completion at Singapore. It is the largest civil airport East of Suez, and it is expected that, before the end of the year, the Empire air liners will be using it as the junction of the England-Singapore and Singapore-Australia routes.

FOR GIANT BOATS

The great task at Singapore now is to prepare the way for the giant flying boats which will be used on the Empire service in 1937. Extensive, sheltered seaplane anchorage has been provided at one corner of the new aerodrome. A reinforced concrete slipway, 100 feet wide, with a traveling cradle operated by electric winding gear, will haul the heaviest flying boats into the hangars.

It is estimated that about thirty long-distance air liners will use the Singapore aerodrome every week, for it will be the junction for the Australian and Hongkong routes of the Imperial Airways, and also for the Dutch machines operating between Amsterdam and the East Indies. An internal air service linking up the smaller towns of British Malaya with the main Empire trunk lines, will be instituted as soon as the aerodrome is ready.

ROUND-THE-WORLD JUNCTION

As soon as the new air link with Manila is complete, Singapore will be the Far Eastern junction of the round-the-world air services in which British, American and Dutch companies are co-operating. A proposal has also been mentioned for a Japanese air service by way of Formosa, Indo-China and Siam.

Singapore's air port is costing about $5,000,000 to build. The site covers 340 acres.

TRIUMPH OVER ALL OBSTACLES

Crippled Children Do Wonderful Work in Spite of Disabilities

SYDNEY, N.S.W. (BUP).—Children who triumph over great disabilities to obtain an education are the star pupils of one of the strangest schools in the world.

This is the Blackfriars Correspondence School in Sydney, which has 5,388 primary and 241 secondary pupils scattered throughout the state, mostly in the wilds where no school is available. So they receive their lessons by post, and they certainly make the most of them.

For instance, there is Beryl Morrin, who lost both hands in a shark attack. By holding a pencil in her teeth or between the stumps of her arms she has done her school work amazingly well, and the report upon her is "Her art work sent in so far is excellent." She hopes to be fitted with artificial hands some day.

Then there is "Billy" Maguire of South Wagga, who also has no hands. Yet, using his toes, he can write letters in ink or pencil on ordinary paper "which would do credit to one of equal years and full physical abilities."

Another cripple who also writes with his left foot is Donald Dansey, of Maryville, while little Peter Fletcher, of Bullamacco, has just passed an examination which the Education Department allowed him to take orally because he is paralysed and can never write. Other stories of brave children are told by the teachers who supply this correspondence education.

The teachers in this strange school are proud of the record of their unseen pupils.

Start This Year On Building of Largest Church

JOHANNESBURG (BUP).—Work is to be started this year on the largest church in South Africa, the Roman Catholic Cathedral in Johannesburg, holding 2,500 people.

More than $750,000 will be spent on the building, which will have a spire towering 275 feet. Construction may take ten years, being dependent on the speed with which funds are collected.

A conspicuous feature of the new building will be a cross made of stainless steel twenty-five feet high. It will be the most prominent object on the Rand, visible for many miles as a steely object by day and as a luminous floodlit object by night.

KANGAROO ACTS FOSTER MOTHER

Adopts Baby Wallaby in Melbourne Zoo After Motoring Accident

MELBOURNE (BUP).—The first recorded instance of a kangaroo acting as a foster mother has taken place at the Melbourne Zoo.

A motoring party touring in Gippsland, ran over and killed a large wallaby. In its pouch was a tiny "joey" (baby), and its cries were so pitiful that the tourists decided to try and save its life. They took it to the Melbourne Zoo.

The curator decided to try an experiment. Topsy, a black-faced kangaroo, whose "joey" had just left the pouch and started to fend for itself, was chosen. The tiny wallaby was placed in her pouch. She puzzled over it for a quarter of an hour, and then apparently contented at the satisfied squeak of the intruder in her warm pocket, she bounded off followed by her own puzzled off-spring.

The wallaby waif is regularly removed from the pouch and fed with milk from a teaspoon to augment the kangaroo's declining natural supply. Then he is returned to the pouch without any sign of protest from Topsy.

ARMY OFFICER TAKES TO SEA FOR HABITAT

LONDON (BUP).—Because he claims he cannot "live" ashore on his pension, Major William Long, retired British army officer plans to spend the rest of his life on the ocean.

He has booked a permanent passage on the P. & O. liner Barrabool, engaged in the London-Australia service. He has just completed his second round voyage on the vessel, and hopes to die on it.

"I understand now how a seaman loves his ship," he declared. "I would not live on land again for any money."

Electric Bell Has Been Ringing for the Past 100 Years

LONDON (BUP).—An electric bell which has been ringing for nearly a hundred years was one of the exhibits of the Oxford University Museum Staff Annual Exhibition.

But no one knows if the bell provides an instance of perpetual motion, for although it has not stopped yet it may do.

It was made in 1840 by an unknown inventor and has since that year been ringing consistently. Its "works" consist of two copper cylinders and five thousand sulphur-coated paper discs. The battery charges itself.

Oil Drilling in England Is Extending

The Inauguration of the Drilling of the Anglo-Iranian Oil Company's First Well in England Took Place Recently at Paulsgrove, Near Portsmouth, Hants. When Captain H. F. C. Crookshank, British Secretary for Mines, Officiated. Here Is a General View of the Workings and Derrick.

Prosperity Returns To Kimberley After Years of Depression

Mines Have Reopened and Steps Taken to Keep Up Price Level—Subsidiary Company Formed as Sole Selling Agency

KIMBERLEY (BUP).—Better times are ahead for Kimberley, which, although standing on blue soil containing an apparently inexhaustible supply of diamonds, has gone through four years of almost unequalled depression.

Recently the De Beers and the Dutoitspan Mines reopened, and Kimberley is looking for another period of prosperity. There have been times in the past when the diamond mines in Kimberley produced $45,000 worth of stones every day.

MINE IN BACKYARDS

Nearly every house in the diamond fields stands on diamantiferous earth, and washing operations in backyards and gardens have yielded handsome profits. These operations were discouraged, and permits for washing became harder and harder to get, as alluvial fields were discovered.

Rich deposits of alluvial diamonds were found near Litchenburg in 1926, and in 1928 another find was made in Little Namaqualand, on the other side of the Orange River, where the Germans had made their original discoveries in 1913. To keep these discoveries out of the hands of syndicates, the Precious Stones Control Bill was passed.

RIGHTS IN THE CROWN

This bill vested all mining rights and selling rights in precious stones in the Crown. The Government brought diamond cutters from Antwerp with the object of bringing the centre of the industry back to South Africa.

Within three years the Lichtenburg field yielded stones valued at $50,000,000 and Namaqualand stones valued at more than $60,000,000. There was intense competition between the Government and the diamond syndicate which was being undersold by the Government agency in Capetown. To keep up prices, the syndicate became a buyer, acquiring more than $40,000,000 worth.

INTERESTS TRANSFERRED

Prices still fell, the syndicate had to transfer its interests to a new company, the diamond corporation, and the Government eventually reached an agreement with the corporation. From 1934 the selling agency in Capetown was closed, and the Union Government became a member of the corporation with a production quota like the rest.

The problem of disposing of the surplus stocks acquired during the depression and the period of competition between the Government and the syndicate has been tackled. A subsidiary company, the Diamond Trading Company, with a capital of $5,000,000, has been formed to act as the sole selling agency for both industrial and other diamonds.

DEADLY NEW SHELL MADE

Britain Rapidly Turning Out Supplies to Meet Urgent Demand

SHEFFIELD (BUP).—The latest naval shell which, it is claimed, passes through armour plate twelve inches thick, was described by Sir Robert Hadfield, British metallurgist, at the annual meeting of Hadfield's Limited, engineers and steelmakers.

Sir Robert said the latest type of 16-inch shells remained unbroken after being fired at armour inclined at thirty degrees from the vertical. Such shells traveled at a speed of about 1,200 miles per hour. After passing through 12-inch armour plate in thirty-nine ten-thousandths of a second they were recovered unbroken.

One shell of this kind in the region of the magazine could bring about the complete destruction of a battleship, it is claimed.

Sir Robert added supplies of these shells were being rapidly turned out to meet the present urgent demand, and were of the highest quality.

HEAR ECHO OF PEPPER CRASH

Export From Singapore Drops to Low Figure—Growers Impoverished

SINGAPORE (BUP).—An echo of the London pepper pool crash last year appears in the pepper export figures issued by the British Malayan Government.

In January this year only thirty-one tons of pepper valued at about $5,000, were exported from Singapore, compared with 6,405 tons valued at nearly $5,000,000, exported in January last year.

A year ago Chinese dealers were exporting every sack of pepper they could buy. It was this action, it has been claimed, that prevented the pepper market being cornered.

As a result of the pepper crash many pepper growers in the East are impoverished owing to the low prices now ruling. The growers made large profits during the boom, but spent most of the money on new planting and fertilizer, under the impression that the high prices would be maintained.

FAMOUS FLYER LEGALLY DEAD

Epic of Aerial Adventure Emerges From Heap of Affidavits

SYDNEY, N.S.W. (BUP).—Air Commodore Sir Charles Kingsford Smith is legally dead.

His widow, Lady Kingsford Smith, has been given leave in the probate court in Sydney to swear to the death of her husband.

The application was all over in less than thirty minutes, an epic of aerial adventure emerging from a heap of affidavits that transversed step by step the last tragic flight of "Smithy" and his co-pilot, John Thompson Pethybridge.

The next step in the administration of his estate will be the lodging for probate within the next few weeks of his fifteen lines will. Lady Kingsford Smith is the sole executrix and he left his entire estate to her. One of the witnesses was Charles Ulm, lost in the Pacific Ocean when on a flight from California to Australia.

Several airmen gave evidence in court about the thorough search that had been made for Sir Charles after he was reported missing on his England-Australia flight last November.

The judge in giving leave to swear to death found that the airplane in which Sir Charles had been flying, had probably come down on the west coast of the Malay Peninsula, or somewhere in the Bay of Bengal.

Uses Braces To Keep Up Friendship

DUBBO, N.S.W. (BUP).—A shopkeeper here uses a pair of braces every year to keep up something more than a pair of trousers—a friendship. Fifty-one years ago he opened his shop and his first customer was the county clerk, who bought a pair of braces. On every anniversary of the shop's opening another pair of braces was sent to the clerk, and when the shopkeeper died his son continued the custom.

What's New and Interesting for the Women

Sunday Should Be a Day Of Rest for Mother, Too

By KATHARINE BAKER

Sunday breakfast trailed out half the morning, Sunday dinner with its big roast, Sunday supper with its guests. These all take the rest out of Sunday for mother, even though most mothers love this day with all the family at home and their friends at the fireside in the evening. But the day can be lightened for mother with a little planning for Friday and Saturday baking.

Rolls to be toasted for Sunday breakfast or supper can be baked on Friday, and cinnamon rolls, which are easily made in two hours, used to top off fruit dessert that night. The left-over rolls are delicious if split, toasted and buttered.

One and a half tablespoons sugar, 4 cups sifted cake flour (about), 1½ tablespoons butter or other shortening, 1 cup milk, scalded, 1 egg, slightly beaten, ⅓ cup sugar, 1 cake compressed yeast, ½ teaspoon salt, ½ cup currants, ⅓ cup sugar, ½ tablespoon cinnamon, 4 tablespoons butter.

Add sugar to milk, cool to lukewarm, add yeast and stir until smooth. Add half of flour, then egg, salt and butter, beating well. Add remaining flour (enough to make as soft a dough as can be handled). Knead gently until smooth. Place in greased bowl, cover and let rise in warm place until double in bulk. Press edges of dough to centre, working it down slightly. Turn dough over and let rise again until double in bulk. Roll in sheet quarter inch thick, sprinkle with currants, sugar and cinnamon. Dot with butter. Roll as for jelly roll, cut in one-inch slices. Place outside down in pan that has been sprinkled with sugar and dotted with butter. Let rise until double in bulk. Brush with additional melted butter and sprinkle with sugar. Bake in hot oven (400° F.) forty minutes, or until done. Let stand in pan for several minutes. Invert pan to remove them. Makes eighteen rolls.

Cup cakes go well with Saturday's casual dinner because the family is usually on its way to some entertainment or shopping, and these delicious cakes touch the spot. Washington pie with a creamy chocolate filling is a perfect finish for Sunday supper.

TWO-EGG CUP CAKES

One and two-thirds cups sifted cake flour, 1½ teaspoons baking powder, ½ cup butter or other shortening, 1 cup sugar, 2 eggs, unbeaten, ½ cup milk, 1 teaspoon lemon or vanilla extract.

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, and sift together three times. Cream butter thoroughly, add sugar gradually, and cream together until light and fluffy. Add eggs, one at a time, beating well after each. Add flour, alternately with milk, a small amount at a time, beating after each addition until smooth. Add flavoring. Pour into greased cup-cake pans, filling them two-thirds full. Bake in moderate oven (370° F.) twenty minutes, or until done. Frost with maple syrup frosting.

Half cup maple syrup, three tablespoons butter, 2 cups sifted confectioners' sugar, dash of salt.

Cook syrup slowly three minutes. Cool. Cream butter, add part of sugar gradually, blending after each addition. Add remaining sugar, alternately with syrup, until of right consistency to spread. Beat after each addition until smooth. Add salt. Sprinkle with chopped nuts. Makes enough frosting to cover two dozen small cup cakes.

Washington pie can be baked on Saturday, too, at the same temperature as the cup cakes, and will still be fresh and appetizing on Sunday.

WASHINGTON PIE

Two cups sifted cake flour, 2 teaspoons baking flour, ½ teaspoon salt, 4 tablespoons butter or other shortening, 1 cup sugar, 1 egg, unbeaten, ¾ cup milk, 1 teaspoon vanilla.

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift together three times. Cream butter thoroughly, add sugar gradually, and cream together well. Add egg and beat very thoroughly. Add flour, alternately with milk, a small amount at a time, beating after each addition until smooth. Add vanilla. Bake in two greased eight-inch layer pans in moderate oven (375° F.) twenty-five minutes. Spread chocolate cream filling between layers and on top of cake. This cake may be baked in greased pan, 8x8x2 inches, in moderate oven (350° F.) fifty minutes.

CHOCOLATE CREAM FILLING

Four tablespoons cake flour, ¾ cup sugar, ½ teaspoon salt, 3 squares unsweetened chocolate, cut in small pieces, 2 cups milk, scalded, 2 egg yolks, slightly beaten, 1 teaspoon vanilla.

Combine flour, sugar, salt and chocolate. Add milk gradually, stirring constantly. Return to double boiler and cook until thickened, stirring constantly. Pour small amount of mixture over egg yolks, stirring vigorously. Return to double boiler and cook two or three minutes longer. Remove from fire. Add vanilla. Makes enough filling for three nine-inch layers.

Velvet Worn In Summer

This year there is renewed interest in Summer velvets. They are being woven in Lyons, and there was a number shown in the February collection.

Summer velvets were introduced in February three years ago by Lucien Lelong and Maggy Rouff. Members of the Velvet Guild were the first manufacturers to produce such velvets, and that same season they began to experiment with velvet organdies and velvet mousseline de soies, as well as other weaves.

Washable velvet has also been introduced and has been used extensively for Summer as well as Winter wear.

The Velvet Guild has also introduced a velvet called crush-resistant, which is an erect pile velvet processed so that it is resistant to crushing and marring. This latter type is practical for Spring and Summer suits, for little extra jackets and for evening and afternoon capes.

This type of velvet also is being used for hats, ribbons, facings, flowers and crowns. It is said that narrow velvet ribbon will again be used to trim dresses of taffeta, organdie and silk, as it was many years ago.

Velvet fans are being shown in connection with new dress collections, and fans are said to be definitely part of the Summer fashion picture.

Cat Cocktail Party Latest Entertainment

RIVIERA—Cats are so fashionable that there has been a cat cocktail party. Lady Collins, as president of the Cat Club, has been having quite a cat-in-petting holiday for the exhibition of pedigree cats. Scores of people with ordinary cats have been clamoring to put their humbler contributions into the club's membership, but for the show at any rate, the cats were severely "seeded." Miss Strang Steel, the cat expert, and Lady Collins gave the cat cocktail party, where a number of prize animals were in view for the admiration of the guests.

Make Your Own Collar and Jabot

They Brighten Up the Dark Frock

Collar and Jabot of Mercerized Crochet Cotton.

THESE are the directions for making the pretty collar and jabot pictured. The materials needed are two balls mercerized crochet cotton, size 30, white; steel crochet hook No. 7 or 8.

Collar—Beginning at neck, ch 268 (to measure about 20 inches), turn. 1st row: D c in 7th ch from hook, * ch 2, skip 2 ch, d c in next, repeat from * across (88 sps). Ch 5, turn. 2nd and 3rd rows: D c in 1st sp, * ch 2 d c in next sp, repeat from * across. Ch 5, turn. 4th row: S c in 1st sp, * ch 4, s c in next sp, repeat from * across. Ch 5, turn. 5th and 6th rows: Work ch 4 loops across. Ch 5, turn. 7th and 8th rows: Work ch-5 loops across. Ch 5, turn. 9th row: Work ch-5 loops across to within 1 loop from end of row, then make 1 s c in last loop (thus decreasing 1 loop). 10th to 15th rows inclusive: Like 9th row, decreasing 1 loop at end of each row. 16th row: Like 9th row, but make ch-6 loops instead of ch-5. Then break off. 17th row: Attach thread to loop at end of 9th row, and work ch-6 loops around the outer edge as far as the last loop of the 9th row on other end. Break off.

Edging—Attach thread to end of foundation ch and work 2 d c in each loop with ch-2 (or sometimes ch-3, if necessary, so that work lies flat) between each d c, around the entire outer edge as far as end of foundation ch on other side. Ch 1, turn. * Work 3 s c in each of next 3 sps, 2 s c in next sp, s c in next d c (12 s c), ch 7, turn, s c in 6th s c, ch 7, s c in 2nd s c, ch 1, turn, 3 s c in 1st loop, ch 4 for a p, 7 s c in same loop, 7 s c in next loop, ch 7, turn. S c in 6th s c just before p of completed loop, ch 1, turn, 5 s c in this loop, ch 4, 5 s c in same loop, 1 s c in next (incompleted) loop, ch 4, 3 s c in same loop. Repeat from * around outer edge of collar. Break off. Now attach thread to end of foundation ch and work around neck edge as follows: 3 s c in each sp across, ch 1, turn, and work s c's back and forth for ½ inch, increasing when necessary to have work lie perfectly flat, when turned over the collar. Finish with turn, * skip 1 s c, d c in next, ch 1, repeat from * across. Ch 1, turn and work from first * of edging. Then turn work over to right side on foundation ch and holding right side of work toward you work a row of s c over foundation ch to keep work lying down.

Jabot—Make a ch to measure 8 inches, turn. 1st row: S c in 7th ch from hook, * ch 5, skip 3 ch, s c in next, repeat from * across. Ch 6, turn. 2nd to 34th rows inclusive: Work ch-5 loops. Ch 6, turn. Then work 2 d c in each loop having ch 1 between each d c all around jabot, and finish with edging as for collar. Pick up at centre of jabot and sew to one end of collar. Fasten with a snap.

In following directions the abbreviations used are: Ch for chain; d c, double crochet; sps, spaces; s c, single crochet.

Neckwear can be either fluffy and frilly or clerically simple—according to your ideas on the subject. Both kinds are worn with the mannishly tailored suit.

A tailored blouse of white pique is finished with a small turnover collar and a narrow belting ribbon bow. On the other hand, collar and cuffs of white net are pleated and fluted and edged with lace to complete another blouse.

A collar of some material like white organdie may tie under the chin in a big bow and be trimmed with lace and fagoting, a la the gay nineties. Or you may supplement your suit with a vestee of embroidered organdie with a ruffled jabot and a tiny bow of velvet ribbon, also reminiscent of the mauve age.

Reversible Frocks Are Featured in Paris Show

By LUCIE MARION

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PARIS.—(By wireless.)—Fashion observers have just had an advance view of collections for Fall and Summer that soon will be shown at several houses.

Sport skirts are short and leave ample room for walking. Afternoon dresses are cut on simple lines and their starched lace trimmings are easily detachable for washing purposes.

Six to ten o'clock frocks have no decolletes. Their sleeves are short. They are accompanied by short coats for the cocktail hour and can easily be kept on for evening wear if necessary, for, although not so long as regular evening frocks, their ankle length makes them dressy enough for informal parties. Evening frocks have no long trains, but they are longer in the back, and end all around the feet in the kind of retroussee one sees in Japanese prints.

Worth is stressing adaptable and transformable coats and frocks. Reversible coats and frocks, with optional sleeves and collars, change their character according to the time of day. The collection, although mainly composed of Fall and Summer clothes, also includes a few models already prepared for the Winter fashion.

For evening, stiffened tulle and organdie are seen, as well as very supple and thin mousseline laconine, allowing for beautiful front drapery. One crisp white organdie frock is equally suitable for a garden or evening party. Delicately embroidered in black thread, it has triple vertical flounces on each side, with a panel in front and back. But the newest of evening frocks is made of clinging jersey mousseline in a delicate and changing color which recalls that of rare fish in deep sea water. Indeed, Monsieur Worth says that the vision of beautiful fish in an oceanographic museum gave him the idea.

WORTH MODELS

Fabrics of light texture, such as crepe de Chine, thick faconne, organdie and sheer woolen, are used for afternoon frocks. Two new Worth models are dresses that are worn without coats, but which are very practical for walking in the street with the addition of silver fox.

One is made of black crepe de Chine, printed with an inconspicuous blurred white check. The straight skirt has fan pleats inlaid in the front. The very simple bodice has long and comfortable wide raglan sleeves which have just an opening for the hand. A touch of Chinese red is shown at the belt and on the small trimming at the neck.

The other frock of similar character is of black transparent stiff mousseline laconine with tiny stripes. Puffed sleeves come above the elbow.

The most charming ensemble of the collection consists of a simple black crepe de Chine skirt, over which is worn a short coat of printed pique de soie, trimmed all around with a narrow band of silver fox.

Imprime is used with discrimination. For instance, a frock entirely made of multicolored imprime would be concealed under a plain dark coat and would show only part of a printed fichu on one shoulder. Generally only part of a dress is printed and the other part made of the same fabric plain.

Although the waistline is in its place, belts are very wide and draped Japanese fashion, giving the effect of a corselette that adds length to the bust. These sashes, generally cut on the bias, go several times around the waist and then are caught under their own folds. One, of bright green, white and black plaid taffeta, was seen on a black frock. Sometimes they have long flowing ends which brighten the fronts of simple woolen frocks.

Silver fox, although used for small collars or trimmings, is fairly rare, for very little fur is seen on the new models. An ingenious presentation of squirrel, which has been somewhat neglected during the last few years, will certainly restore its former favor. It is dyed in soft brown, in which a tinge of mauve produces an even warmer and more becoming color than Summer ermine. The skins are beautifully cut and worked.

MOLYNEUX DISPLAY

Molyneux has a very attractive display of country and beach clothes. An amusing ensemble consists of ample trousers in blue and white small checks and a white jersey, with a turndown collar, tucked in the trousers under a patent leather belt. Over it is worn a very short navy blue steward's jacket. A blue cloth cap with a short brim in front completes the ensemble.

A smart beach ensemble is made of thin white cotton with a silk finish and has dark blue codets at the sides of wide shorts. A cape made of straight white pique is merely caught on each shoulder and has a wide blue band inserted vertically at the back.

Another ensemble of white starched pique is composed of a sort of baby's pinafore over shorts, and on top of all is worn a mannish coat of blue coarse linen with double rows of white visible seamings all around and on square pockets.

Printed cretonne is being shown in a pattern of small sized dots. Little country frocks made of it are mostly cut along tailored lines. The skirt is straight, although one model in blue and white dots is pleated all around, the inside of the pleats showing plain white. Subtlety is in the detail of the cut of the sleeves. These are short and close fitting where they end, but are full near the shoulder. The fullness is mostly on top. The sleeve starts flat from the neckline, like a military epaulette, and at the shoulder point the pleat that was concealed underneath is released, while more pleats are taken in all around the armhole.

But the newest sleeves, by a clever device, show no cut in front, where they are one with the bodice and have all their fullness in the back, thus giving the wide effect required by fashion minus the bulky appearance of the bust in front.

This sort of sleeve is also seen at Molyneux on other kinds of frocks, such as his new street frocks, which have a wide skirt showing a Russian tunic line. The bodice is plain and slim and generally buttoned. A narrow belt may be made of white pique like the collar and gilet that brightens the dark woolen material of the frock.

In the same house, evening frocks have an accompaniment of enormous cape-like ruches made of fragile silk petals or very short-fitting coats in a new white cloque marbre printed in big flowers, with wide sleeves draped and shirred to a size not attained before.

A satin frock of faint blue is covered by a very long duvetine coat of clear cyclamen color. The coat line is very slim and straight. The corners are rounded and it flows like a court train when the wearer walks, but even when held in place at the waist it shows the whole front of the frock. It has gigot sleeves, fitting perfectly from the elbow.

LeLong shows a pretty collection of gaily printed dresses, youthfully short and with wide sleeves. One has a red and green pattern of a white background and a striking bit of a violet color scheme with a knitted bonnet in the same tone. Another has a tiny fleurette pattern on a pale blue background.

Blouses for Your Suits Come Handy

Blouses are most important in the fashion picture this season. So important, in fact, that the shops are full of them and the counters that sell them are crowded.

This group includes blouses for the strictly tailored suit and also the more dressy types. You change your blouse and your costume undergoes a metamorphosis, and you cannot have too many blouses.

A crisp, dainty type of blouse made of white French batiste is shown at top. It is trimmed with hand fagoting and embroidery, with tucks down the front and a bow tie.

SHEER SILK

The second blouse is a sheer silk crepe model in flesh color. It has a finely tucked bosom front and a tie neckline. It's soft and flattering.

For the tailored type suit is the third blouse, a Wimbledon shirt in striped men's English broadcloth. The stripes are used both horizontally and vertically, and it is fastened with pearl studs.

Always smart is the silk print blouse. The fourth model shown is a dotted design on a dark ground. This one has a turned-over collar and jabot and pearl buttons.

Last comes a grey angel-skin silk crepe model with lattice yoke and high neckband that buttons in the back. It has short raglan sleeves.

FLUFFY TYPES FAVORED

The fluffy types of blouses have been growing in importance as Easter approached and passed, and dressy little details are used, like petal collars, tiny puffed sleeves tied with pert bows. Dozens of fine tucks are used on collars, jabots and sleeves, especially on blouses of imported batiste.

Frills are much in evidence, and jabots have lace trimming, also fagoting, hand-shelling and scallops as well as tucks.

The materials used for very fine blouses are organdie, printed and embroidered organdie and dotted organza.

Georgettes and triple sheer blouses also have jabots, ruffles and frills. Occasionally there is one with full peasant sleeves, but the majority that are now being shown have short sleeves.

Hand-finished handkerchief linen blouses are also done in soft, frilly types. Other materials are silk chiffon, point d'esprit, net, plaid and plain mousseline de soie and eyelet embroideries.

The joke of the matter is, that the more tailored your suit, the frillier should your blouse be, which is a paradox, but the fashion this season. And white blouses from tailored pique to embroidered organdie, are tops.

Plan Meals for Week-End

Friday's fish dinner is topped off with a fruit dessert and glazed cinnamon rolls made in just two hours from cake flour that responds quickly to leavening. Saturday's casual dinner becomes important with maple nut cup cakes, and Washington pie with a creamy chocolate filling is a perfect finish for Sunday's supper.

Children's Modes Are Romantic

By JOAN LITTLEFIELD

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Children's fashions have become romantic. Mayfair mothers are dressing their small boys in page suits in Victorian style and their little girls in frilled frocks lavishly trimmed with baby ribbon.

Lord Bessborough's son, the Hon. George Ponsonby, who was born in Canada in 1931, has led the page-boy suit fashion, which will be in vogue at children's parties this Summer. One of his suits was in primrose, with ankle-length trousers, tying at the waist with a sash, and tiny coat with white organdie collar and cuffs. Lady Plunkett has had similar suits made for her youngest boy. One of them was in cerise.

These suits will be copied in linen for the Summer, with organdie handkerchief collars, white organdie blouses and velvet or silk ribbon sashes. Highwayman's coats are being worn by little boys for their walks in the park.

Many little girls, especially the friends of Princess Elizabeth, are wearing grey party frocks. A new alternative to this shade is wild rose pink. Princess Elizabeth herself is still wearing black, while her little sister is mostly dressed in grey or mauve.

BRIMS WIDE OR LACKING

Off-the-Face, Shady Models Shown in Style Circles

Two Sally Victor Hats, Left, the Shallow-Crowned and Brimmed Type; Right, the Flower-Trimmed and Veiled Toque of Rough, Shiny Straw.

By LISBETH

MEN, our brothers, have been heard to make slurring remarks about our hats this season. They seem to think they are queer. But then, our husbands and boy friends usually to take exceptions to our headgear so think nothing of it.

It is true that some of the millinery is a bit extreme. Some of the models seem to depend on the intervention of Providence rather than natural means to keep them on the slight portion of the head they cover. And others rise to great heights, or the trimming on them reaches toward heaven. However, these are the extreme examples, and most are exceedingly wearable and becoming.

Two of the latter type of model are shown here, both Sally Victor hats. The quaint little toque of rough straw with the smooth band around the face, the smart veil, and the two roses nestling near the wearer's ear, is as smart and wearable as it can well be. The off-the-face mode persists, you see.

The other is brimmed, with shallow crown and little trim except the fringed edges of the brim.

The sunbonnet effect, as suggested slightly in the rose-trimmed model shown here, is being worn in Paris in a tiny bonnet of velvet worn on the back of the head and tied under the chin in Civil War fashion.

Tailor-Mades Popular for This Season

By ROSE PATTERSON

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PARIS—Quite a number of dressmakers are making Summer tailor-mades with short-sleeved jackets—Paquin and Rochas in particular—some sleeves reaching halfway down the forearm, some rarely passing the elbow, some with lingerie cuffs and frills that show beneath the edge. Long sleeves are essential with these jackets.

Molyneux' new Spring material is a thick silk, worked to look like a thin tweed. Anna Lee, the film actress has bought a dress coat of it in brown and white.

For the races, a woman may wear a military "uniform" that is all wrong, so to speak. Recent example: tartan kilt with short black jacket and Cossack cap. Among the "amusings" hat of lobster red straw with minute lobster of pink coral, claws and all, worn at jaunty angle.

Household Hints

Fruit or mince turnovers in individual sizes are a treat the family will enjoy, so make them once in a while instead of the usual family pie.

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A glass of milk between meals and before going to bed is an excellent way to gain weight if you're too thin.

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When cinnamon buns get stale, cut them in half, dip in beaten egg and milk and fry in hot butter or other fat as for French toast. Serve with marmalade or jam for luncheon.